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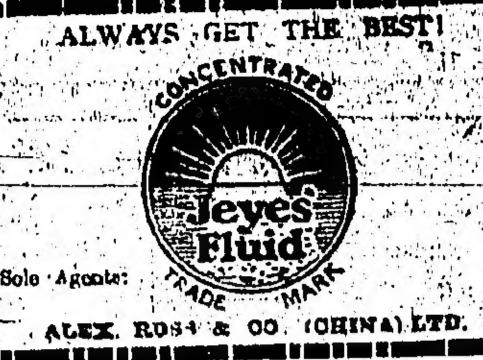
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OUR FOREIGN POLICY.

STANDS BRITAIN WHERE SHE DID?

GOVERNMENT WARMLY DEFENDED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

The House of Commons was crowded for the

which would take them outside the Reich because

that would alter the whole situation in regard to the

Treaty but if they wanted Home Rule inside the

Reich Britain would not interfere, provided there

ment was not spontaneous and owing very largely

had come to a natural end but in the Palatinate

appeared that it might be genuine but latterly the

Government had concluded it was not now geniune

very soon collapse. The Government had sent Mr.

this had caused a certain amount of additional

Anglo-French friction but he greatly hoped that

friction would soon be smoothed over and that Mr.

BRITISH PRESTIGE STILL HIGH.

in regard to the Ruhr and claimed that those

Harrington had said that British prestige in the Near East was never higher and General Allenby

said the same about Egypt. One of the Dominions leaders at the Imperial Conference had told him

that wherever he went he found that the one country

whose moral approval or disapproval counted was

Britain. Mr. McNeill concluded that according to

locate world markets. A British commission was

proceeding thither and Britain had suggested the establishment of an inter-Allied Disposals Board.

exceeding the average rate of export for 1922.

ment was proposed.

ment will be moved.

Mr. McNeill defended the Government's policy

to determine action.

had assumed graver proportions. At first

"LEVIATHAN'S" REPAIRS.

FRANCE'S WAR DEBTS.

STRONG CRITICISM.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

NEW YORK, January 17.

The "Leviathan" mentioned on December 12, resumption of the debate on the address in reply, sustained a quarter of a million dollars damage.

In the course of a lengthy statement on foreign Repairs are not yet completed. The Democrat Mr. Caraway caused a sensation affairs Mr. Ronald McNeill, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, warmly replying to the indictment in the Senate by accusing Secretary Full of a of the Government's foreign policy, pointed out betrayal of trust, by leasing oil reserves, and that foreign policy was essentially continuous and charged him with selling American fuel to if there had been gross mismanagement in the past speculators, one of whom boasted he was going to five years the Government's chief critics were very make \$100,000,000 as his share of the loot. Senator largely responsible. He opined that Mr. Lloyd Borah referred to the French war debt and called George would agree that if Mr. Macdonald was attention to be fact that France, while unwilling to going to the Foreign Office with "a broad foot and come to a settlement with the United States, was a big heol" to stamp upon M. Poincaré with a view lending large sums to European governments. to establishing peace in Europe, he would find he Senator Borah characterised France as the greatwas in for a very heavy disillusionment (Ministerial jest military power in Europe that was ever known and declared that American tax payers were SEPARATIST MOVEMENT DOOMED? . | meeting the cost of her army of 730,000 men as Mr. McNeill claimed that the Government had surely as if it was their own. Senator Borah read exlost no opportunity to enlist the assistance of the tracts from speeches of French and Italian states-United States or to take any means open to them to men and declared "they are preparing their own arrive at a solution of the reparations question. As consciences and the consciences of their people for regards separatism in the Rhineland the Govern- a repudiation of their debt". He acquitted the ment's attitude had been that they were unable to Italians and French peoples as a whole of entersanction any separatism amounting to a declaration taining such a proposition yet.—Reuter's American of independence by states forming part of the Reich | Service.

#### MEXICAN-MELE

AMERICAN MONEY FOR OBREGON.

was sufficient demonstration that it was the will of the people themselves. Obviously in the MEXICO CITY, January 16. greater part of the Rhineland the Separatist move-The American charge d affaires has obtained from President Obregon the Government's perto the influence of Britain, supported by Belgium, it mission for two United States warships to visit Vera Cruz and Tuxpan. The United States Cruiser

"Tacoma" is now en route to Vera Cruz. It is reported that representatives of three and believed that if it was left to itself it would American banks are en route to Mexico City to negotiate a loan of 25 million-pesos to the Obregon

Clive to the Palatinate to ascertain the facts and Government.

GALVESTON, January 16. The cruiser "Tacona" from Vera Cruz, aground Clive's report would enable the Government clearly on the Bantauillas Reefs, sixteen miles from Vera Cruz, has wirelessed to the American Consul at Vera Cruz that unless two strong tugs arrive within two hours it may be too late to pull off the warship.

The United States light cruiser "Richmond" British prestige had been lost were wrong. General is standing by the "Tacoma," and the government

SEEING THINGS.

CHINESE INDUSTRIAL MISSION.

LONDON, January, 17. The Chinese Industrial Mission visited the all reports Mr. McDonald himself, was going to the Foreign Office. Mr. McNeill confidently predicted headquarters of the Bradford Dyers' Association that before many months Mr. Macdonald would tell and inspected samples of dyed woollen, cotton and the Commons that he was completely disillusioned. artificial silk goods suitable for the Far Eastern' NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN ON REPARATIONS. trade. Subsequently the Mission attended a con-Replying to Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Neville ference with the Council of the Bradford Chamber Chamberlain said Germany had now agreed of Commerce and 50 members specially interested to give an undertaking regarding the in the Chinese trade. The subjects of trade marks eventual reimbursement of German exporters in and Chinese inland transport, and the reduction in connection with our Reparations Recovery Act and weight for sample postage, were raised and the a German representative was on the way to England missioners promised to bring these matters before to discuss the method. He detailed the steps taken the government on their return. The Mission and to ensure that the big stocks of steel which had prominent Bradford business men lunched with the accumulated in the occupied territories, estimated Lord Mayor and later visited the Saltaire Mills to be from two to three and a half million tons and met the Wool and Allied Trades Industrial should not be disposed of in a way likely to dis- Council.

## GERMAN SEAMEN'S STRIKE.

The French had arranged not to license exports LONDON CONFERENCE TURNED DOWN.

LONDON, January 16. Replying to Sir John Simon, Mr. Neville Replying to the proposal that a conference of Chamberlain said he thought the present reparations in kind were less than before occupation of German shipowners and the striking German the Ruhr. He opined that in view of M. Poincarés seamen should be held in London under the assurances no industrial arrangement between auspices of the British National Sailors' and Fire-French and German firms had hitherto been made men's Union, the German shipowners declare that and the British Government would be given the discussion with British Unions about German fullest chance of expressing its views if an arrange- wages is completely out of the question. If British and German wages are to be compared, account-Mr. Penny suggested that France should be must be taken of the total difference in the situation asked for an assurance that she meant to honour of the United Kingdom and Germany. Sinceher debt obligations towards Britain and she and January II, German seamen's wages have been others pay us something on account until a final fully paid in gold currency based on the dollar and

#### adjustment was made. The House adjourned until therefore independent of all-currency fluctuations, RHINELAND SEPARATIST MOVEMENT.

BRITISH INVESTIGATOR BUSY.

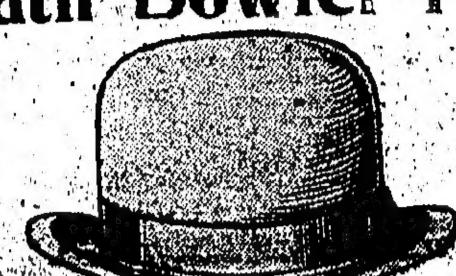
MANNHEIM, January 16. In the course of conversations between Mr. Clive, who is investigating the Separatist movement. on behalf of the British Government, and representmade a lengthy statement in regard to the Tangier atives of all the political parties of the Palatinate, Convention. He emphasised that the agreement also the heads of the Catholic and Evangelical secured the permanent neutralisation of Tangler churches, it was asserted that it is only by the proand the maintenance of an open door by establish- tection of General Demetz, and the French district. ing an international regime which would effectual- authorities that the Separatists are able to occupy. ly prevent any one power from being predominant. the Palatinate. The delegates handed Mr. Clive a Mr. Lloyd George asked who controlled the port manifesto declaring that the Palatinate would never and Mr. McNeill said that a share of the capital of submit to the despotism of the so-called Separatist

## HELPING HUNGARY.

£10,000,000 LOAN MOOTED.

LONDON, January 16. A sub-Committee of the League of Nations Replying to Mr. Lloyd George Mr. McNeill including Bethlen and Benea met privately at St. said he was confident that the Commons would be James's Palace to consider the proposed intergiven an opportunity of discussing the agreement national loan of ten millions sterling to Hungary. if it was desired. Replying to Commander It is understood that M. Clausel, the Pronch repre-Bellairs Mr. McNeill was unable to say whether sentative, urges that the loan should be for a shorter. the Committee of Defence approved the Convention | period than the twenty, years, originally, planned before signature. Colonel John Ward declared but Lord Robert Cecil, the British representative, (Other new cables will be found on page 5.)

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For what is a profession? It is vocation entered upon with a pledge of devotion to some object superior to gain. 'A profession, to be healthy and sound, ought to ensure a liveli bood. But beyond that, it is the note of all high and honourable professions that they aim at a public, as distinct from a private, profit. Harold Spender.

The Tai Mahal.

devoted to this task. Every corner makes him loved as well as admir- One condition of the scheme was of the old world sent its offering, ed. And what a masterpiece is the resuit! What a sanctuary from the cares and troubles of this everyday existence, and what a privilege is ours who can command it! as a monument to the dead, it test fies to an unending life; and glory as we look on it to feel here is a handiwork of man that beirs the imprint of eternity. There are influences unconnected with the mere modelling of stone What Edison's Genius Is Worth. and marble that subtly work upon us as we gaze, and the emptiness of a scheme that would end the yearnings which such contemplation prompts with the poor futility of the grave becomes convincingly appar-D.S.O . .

The English-individualists. The English are a nation of individualists par excellence; they do not have to organize their romanticism, they simply are romantic. Not romantic to the exclusion of every classicism, of course—there are no pure cases of romanticism save in the madhouse, or of classieism save in the museums-but in the sense that their instinctive bias is towards the fullest individual free-There will never be any life and death struggles between classicisin and romanticism in England; Cement ...... there are no real opponents for Telegraph ...... romanticism to battle with.-John Wireless telegraph.

Middleton Murry.

The cats' meat shop. A- enrious thing about mean streets in London is that the dirtier and more ill-favoured the street, the more certain you are to find in cats'-ment shop. There is never to cats meat\_shop in Park Lane. although it possesses-few people realize it-a public-house. No doub the Park Lane puss feeds on the fish that falls from the rich man' table. F. I, Hudleston.

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definité active tissue extends through every tree. The cellular pulsations of this tissue in regular sequence by their pumping action cause the movement of the sap. When these pulsations are arrested they can be revived by drugs, by blows, or by massage. In Bengal the sugar canes are actually

"The pulsation of the cell ultra-microscopic, but Sir J.-C Bose has detected it by his electric probe in circuit with a recording galvanonieter. Any agent which quickens the heart-beat of the animal also quickens the heart-beat of the tree. The life of the tree is as wonderful as the life of man.

#### Menus.

A congressman, of Illinois, waging a fierce campaign against French menus on American liners. He says that grub should be designated in plain English for what it really is. Appended is a sample Soho menu, with free translation, which may possibly make him change his mind.

Consomme Economique A L'hier. Poisson Sole Peutetre Boouf Rissole Je Ne Pense Pas. Poulets Maitre D'Hôtel. Grande Salade Mysteriense. Pouding Surpris au Gournet. Vol'au Vent Tres Moutarde Café au Lait.

(Translation.) Soup made from yesterday's leavings Perhaps sole. Perhaps not. Horse rissoled out of

recognition Heas specially starved for the Proprietor. Outside leaves of cabbages minced small with vinegar.

Rice Pudding. Meat too far gone to serve attractive in Americanese,

#### Dislike Meek Mon."

Lord Birkenhead has been conwithiting to the Cape Times a series of character sketches of "Men of the Day." Writing of Lord Curzon he says :

"We have the highest authority for believing that the mock shall inherit the earth, though I have never found any particular corroboration of this aphorism in the records of Somerset House.

"Lord Curzon is not meek; nor do I know of any particular reason I dislike meek men."

energy; secondly, his integrity, end to such plans. which has forced him on more than In 1918 a Superannuation Act one occasion to champion the un- which provided pensions modelled popular cause; thirdly, his keen on the scheme for the Civil Twenty-two long years of lubour, judgment, rarely, if ever, at fault; Service and, therefore, on a nonand twenty thousand workmen were and finally, his humanity, which contributory basis, came into force.

party. Neither has he in the past eligible for the national pension. nor will be in the future satisfy Most teachers assumed that the those who make this demand upon Act was as straightforward as it intelligent thinking, well-informed to the local one. 'In "1922"the criticism, and effective building on Government levied a tax of 5 per firm foundations, will not look in cent of salary from all teachers who

The ideas and the genius of Thomas A. Edison are said to be present investment in America alone of industries based on or expires next, summer. In the stimulated by his inventions, ac- meantime a Departmental Coment.-Lieut.-Colonel P. R. Butler, cording to an article in the New mittee was set up to consider the making up this total are thus exe teachers, and it has recently retracted by The Wall Street Journal: ported in favour of a scheme Moving picture ......\$1,250,000,000; which takes contributions from the Telephones ........... 1,000,000,000 | teacher, the local education Electrical railways... 6,500,000,000 authority, and the Treasury, and

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With characteristic good sense, Henry Irving-for it was to him that this blunt question was pututtered a modest disclaimer. "Bee-cos for hactin', give me' Arry Knight, at the Victoria in

Waterloo Road," the deffant Turfité went on, " streuth! Chews a guid o' terbacker, knocks daan eighteen ruddy pirates an' dances a 'ornpipe all within three minutes!"

#### Ledd Us Not into Temptation.

best of good fellows, Prebendary school, as teachers were urged came to him.

of you, though you're a real good "recognised" service. No gesture chap, to come temptin us by bring- was left to the man but to die, and ing a gold watch in yer pocket." his widow applied for the death watch on me?"

'ad an. 'eld it three times in me refused on the ground that it was 'ands, an' put it back in yer pocket made too long after the date of every time. But, it was tryin' me leaving "recognised" service. igh, guv nor; it was, you bet.

#### WHEN BABY IS CROSS AND SLEEPLESS

there is something wrong and the litt's dertook some of the work usually one is taking the only maps he has of done by the head master. He did telling it. Under such circumstances the temptation to administer a sleeping draught, or opinto of come kind is often great, but dan't do it unless expressly ordered by a comp tent doctor. Instead give Baby's Own Tablets, which are guaranteed to contile no opint's; they that an assistant master who send the chi'd to sleep simply because does this kind of work is they remove the causes of his sleeple's

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INTERESTING NOTES.

PENSIONS.

The history of pension or superannuation schemes for teachers is a longer one than is generally supposed. In some of the big public schools it has long been the custom to give pensions to masters grown old in their service, and before the war many governing bodies and some local education authorities why he should be. But, personally, had set up contributory pension schemes for the teachers in their secondary schools at least. For Ramsay Macdonald's Qualities. primary schools there was already Mr. F. Pethick Lawrence, M.P., a State scheme in force, and the writing in the "Star" on Mr. J. advisability of improving this and Ramsay MacDonald, M.P., says: extending it to include teachers in "MacDonald owes his position secondary, schools was being and his influence to four main seriously considered by the

that a reacher who came under a MacDonald is no good as a local pension scheme must withflag-waver whether for country or draw from it if he wished to be him. But those who ask for more | seemed to be, and accordingly solid service, who want hard and preferred the national guarantee could not prove that they would never be pensioned under the provision of the 1918 Act. This levy does not establish any right to any benefit, and is used by the Treaworth \$15,500,000,000, based on sury for general purposes. The Act was a temporary one, and York Times. The separate items whole subject of pensions-for gives the first-named a "contrac-5,000,000,000 tual right" in return for his money: 857,000,000 The general election with which we are now faced will unavoid-105,000,000 ably delay or curtail consideration 100,000,000 of the many complicated questions which must be dealt with by the

new Act now due. TWO KINDS OF SERVICE: It should be realised that the position of a teacher in a secondary school under the present Acts is very different from that of his primary colleague. The latter's service is usually given entirely in schools of one well-defined type. hospitable table out Tufnell Park The number of kinds of secondary way, where he used to entertain schools is great, as seen by the Ambassadors, and the leading administrator, and while the man who works in them may not be able to discern any difference as regard service in one as coming under the Act and service in the other as being quite outside its provisions.

There are two kinds of service:

qualifying," which can be includ-

ed to make up the total service required before any pension can be granted, and "recognised," on which alone the amount of pension will be calculated. Consequently, the average teacher often does not know whether he can rely on any pension at all and is quite unable to form any definite idea of its amount. This distinction between "qualifying" and "recognised service" also leads to hardships in other ways. We may quote as an example the case of a man of long service who left a secondary That sturdy slum stumper and school to work in a continuation Carlile, always made it a rule to to do when the unfortunate Fisher leave his watch-chain behind. Act came into operation. The when he addressed a meeting of strain of the work in unfamiliar thieves and gaol-birds somewhere and experimental surroundings in the East End. His watch, proved too much for him. He tucked away safely in his waist- broke down, and was described by pocket, he thought might escape the doctors as unfit for teaching. observation. After one of his He applied for a breakdown allowmeetings one of the audience ance under the Act, and was refused. His application had been "Look ere, guv'nor. It ain't fair made too long after he lef

Why, how do you know I have gratuity which he appeared to have earned. Again he had been too Larlumme! Why, blime, I've slow; this application was also RED-TAPE JUDGMENTS. There is also considerable uncertainty as to when a teacher is a

teacher. One man, engaged in a

London school on exactly the same terms as everyone else there, unnot entitled to a pension. The head master who does it, however, appears to be a teacher. Another quite recent case is that of a man who worked for many years in a large school in the north. No one ever doubted that he was in every way a member of the stuff of the is to get no pension

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JOHN ARNOLD, Hongkong, January 8th, 1924.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from MONDAY. "21st" January to SATURDAY, 2nd February 1924, (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, KAN TONG PO. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 15th January, 1924.

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#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

HOME POLITICS.

LONDON, January 15,-The moderation and the essentially Liberal complexion of the speech from the Throne has done nothing to modify the tacit Liberal-Linbour agreement to eject.

Ggyerninent. A number of back bench Liberals have lodged a separate amendment mentioning unemployment, national and domestic policy. This collapsed on the field and died. unendment, however, is not likely

favour of Liberal-Conservative cooperation has now flickered out.

MacDonald's advent, but the fishing. Liberal newspapers unanimously embrace tht Labour amendment, as suitable instrument for inflicting the quietus on Mr. Baldwin. dwell on the potentialities of a long life for a Labour Government, provided national welfare is not subordinated to tactical niceties.

There is a suggestion of mutiny in the ranks of Labour in a separate amendment moved by five Clvd Labour members referring to 'millions of workers on the verge o starvation.

Lobby correspondents unanimous ly forecast it Government defeat on January 21, and the announcement of a Labour Ministry on January 22 followed by an adjournment for several weeks, to enable the Cabine to pick up the threads.

#### RAILWAYMEN TO STRIKE.

LONDON, January 15. Mr. J. H. Thomas, in a statement vesterday, emphasized obligation of members of the North ern Union Railway to remain work in the event of a strike.

He said that he stood by hi signature to the award of National Wages Board, which the Union endorsed. He expected the Union to honour its endorsement course, was stated to have been 39 regardless of consequences; but the times previously convicted for Society of Locomotive Engineers, similar offences. in a manifesto issued last night says the official date and time for cessation of work has been sent to Messrs. Hollins's works, Pleasley all branches, in order to secure a Vale, near Mansfield, Nottingham, simultaneous stoppage throughout Charles Keeling, of Cobden-street, the country. The manifesto exhorts Birkenhead, touched a live wire members to strike at the appointed and was electrocuted.

## TANGLER QUESTION.

Paris, January 15. France has declined the Spanish request to modify the Tangier Convention, but is willing to consider the granting of concessions elsewhere in Morocco.

"TZE SUI" PIRACY.

·Ichang, January 14. The steamer "Tze Sui" returned the River Inspector

navigating. :The information gathered indicates that the pirates, who numbered under 20, were probably passengers from Wanhsien, but a more joined when the anchored.

Apparently, it was a case of piracy, for the Captain was first dealt with from fear of resistance.

three shots. The compradore lost about \$2,000. | through the first stage of the com-The passengers were looted in mercial flying contest; at the money and clothing to the extent | Gothenburg (Sweden) Exhibition

of about \$20,000. The pirates proceeded ashore with bags of loot and then dis-

those on board were unable to call aeroplane crash at the aerodrome, for help.

are withdrawing from the run. Capt. Brandt's body is on board. he "Tzo Sui." PEKING, January 15.

states that, as far as can be ascer-Wanhsien. - Courtesy. Daily Bulle-

gentle, bright, and of a lovable dis- binding the United States and position, a Scarborough widow has Mexico "in close and enduring written to the Lord Mayor of Hull relations of peace, co-operation asking him to assist her in getting and good will," was proposed by a husband. Adding that she is a Dr. Wilbur P. Thirkield, resident. good cook, she lamonts the ten- Methodist, Episcopal bishop at dency of modern young men to Mexico City, in conference with marry girls who dance rather than President Coolidge those who can make them com-

ITEMS-FROM-FAR-AND NEAR.

Basil Kolaroff, reputed leader of the recent unsuccessful revolution in Bulgaria, has arrived in Moscow.

Charged with being in unuthorised possession of cocaine, lack Kelson, 21, a negro seaman, was remanded at Bow-street.

Playing for Woodham, Working pro- junior club, against Egham, Hythe, ection and the Government, inter- Henry Stimpson, a Woking youth,

Mr. Charles Edwin Musgrave. Conservative commentators are secretary of the London Chamber now resigned to the inevitable of Commerce since 1909 has died Even the forlorn campaign in in a London nursing home, aged 62.

The New Zealand Government, The Labour organ expresses im- which has taken control of the patience at the large number of Ross Dependency, in British Liberals who insist on talking on Antarctic territory, is to issue the amendment; thus delaying Mr. licences for the whale and seal

> Abd el Krim, leader of the Moorish rebels against Spain, declares: "We will fight to defend our Riff country to the last drop of blood."

·A hundred guests who attended two marriage banquets at a restaurant outside Madrid have been no soned, presumably by ices. I,wo are in a serious condition.

Sir Auckland Geddes, the Britsh Ambassador to Washington. who has been resting at Wimbledon, was stated to have completely recovered the use of one eye.

Sir Samuel Hoare, the Air Minister, accompanied by his wife and two secretaries, left Croydon by air for the International Air Exhibition at Gothenburg, Sweden.

Work has been begun in the aying of pneumatic tubes from the Prime Minister's residence and most of the Government offices direct to the General Post Office in St Martin's-le-Grand.

Thomas Brooks, a dealer, sent to prison for three months at Brighton for pocket-picking on the race-

When working in a boiler at

Frederick Southfield, at Petham, gives one year's wages to each near Canterbury, on November 6, Francis Hector Nayler, 28, an engineer and Army ex-officer, was sentenced to death at Kent Assizes.

At the last day's shooting of the Woodmen of Arden on their archery ground at Meriden. Warwickshire, the silver bugle was won by Brig.-Gen. Westmacott and the bowl given by the Scottish archers by the Rev. A. E. Bedford.

A record crowd attended the Vale of Llangollen sheep dog trials at Vivod Park, near, Llangollen, Denbighshire, under the patronage of Queen Alexandra, the grand challenge cup being taken by Moss, belonging to Mr. T. Roberts, of Bryneglwys. ..

The British airman, Mr. Alan Cobham, piloting a de Havilland Two pirates hauled him from his machine, was one of the first three room and inurdered him, firing competitors, the others being a German and a Norwegian, to go without loss of marks.

At the inquest on Flying Officer Robin Jacques, of the 100th R.A.F. The steamer anchored opposite Squadron, at Spittlegate, Grantham, the shore at Kaichiachenb, so that Lincolushire, who was killed in an it was stated that when 1,000ft. up The Dollar Company has now the machine seemed to turn to the ordered the steamers "Kweimen" left and then came down in a and "Tse Sui" to Shanghai, as they vertical dive. Accidental Death. was the verdict.

The new Australian government is about to adopt a policy of taking An official telegram from Ichang over private estates under compulsion, if necessary, to facilitate the tained, the "Tze Sui" did not carry establishment of temporary trainany arms or ammunition when the ing farms for immigrants. New vessel was raided by pirates above arrivals will be allotted holdings. of this land, and the immigration of boys to Australia is to be particularly encouraged.

Dismantling of the forts, along Describing herself as 34, fair, the Mexican border, as a means of

Increases, in wages approximating \$200,000 a year, and affecting approximately, 2,500 employees, have been asked by the Order of A touch of rhoumatian or a twings of Sleeping Car Conductors, in Chi-ilburitia, whatever the trouble is Cham- cago in a hearing before the Rail-bellin's Pain Bata relieves the pain, road Labour Board. The increase would restore wages paid by the American new working conditions.

#### Princess Mary opened Harlesden peace memorial hall.

Drury Lane Theatre's profit for the year is over £30,000.

Liverpool panel doctors will strike rather than accept reduced

Stepney is to go ahead with the scheme for a new £200,000 town

Thieves broke into St. Barnabas' Church, Beckenham, and stole the week's offertories.

Mr. Lloyd George's book, " Is i

Peace?" is now running well into second large edition. Mr. Samuel Gompers has been re-elected president of the Amer-

can Federation of Labour. The Health Ministry has refused ermission for another lewish

Lady Alexander, whose arm was broken by a fall at her London residence, is now a little better.

burial ground at Edmonton.

No fewer than 73,500 people live in L.C.C. buildings, more than the population of Bath or Lincoln.

East Lancashire fish-and-chip purchase.

bride from her father was a piece land on which to build a

The first. Masonic service in a

synagogue in England took place at Brondesbury Synagogue, Lon-, don, in aid of Jewish and Masonic During the absence in Poland of Commander Hilton Young, M.P.

ing on the duties of Chief Whip of the National Liberal party. Mr. William Cooper, coxswain. of Ramsgate lifeboat, has completed 50" years', service as a

Sir William Edge, M.P., is carry-

helped to save nearly 1,000 lives. Removing scaffolding in a new pit shaft at Longhirst, Northumberland, Frederick Ross, an engine wright, fell 50 fathoms into ten feet of water. He was dead when

member of the crew and

Mr. Arthur Herbert Curnick, of Messrs. Curnick and Co., of High Street, Marylebone, Army meat For shooting his father-in-law, contractors, has left £143,532. He servant with five years' service.

## WHY PEOPLE LAUGH

SOME REASONS.

Biblical Scholar.—"And you know your Bible, my child? Oh, yes; I know everything that's in it. Sister's young man photo is in it, un' ma's recipe lors face cream, an' a lock of my hair cut off when I was a baby, and the ticket for pa's watch."

Supreme Tolerance .- The with wag who got away with the follows: ing bit of humour gives our idea of tolenince de luxe, no plus ultra, acti linfinitum and o pluribus unum las

Says the aforesaid wag My idea of tolerance is a baseball games between the Ku Klux and the Knights of Columbus, with a negro unspire, and, the proceeds of the game to go for the benefit of the Jowish Relief Fund !"

Splitting Even .- A sausage many lacturer in Milwankee built a reutation for a cortain brand sunsage. He called it rabbit sage. A sanitary inspector called one day for an analysis. you use some horse in this make: of sausage?" asked the S. I. "Yes," use some," was the reply. "Howar much?" "Well, I make it a fifty fifty proposition. One horse, one

Served Dad Right The daughter of a certain strict-principled old merchants are giving away Ger- deacon had attended a dance the man mark notes with every previous night, much against her the father's wishes. When she appear ed for breakfast the next morning The present to a Chalfont (Bucks) he greeted her with the words:

"Good morning, daughter of To which the maiden respectfully;

"Good morning, father." In Newspaper Value. - Manager -"Where did you keep this dismond tinra which you say has been

Actress-"In the box with the Manager (coldly)—"What's

Actress—"Oh, about a column and a half." Our Dependence Upon Others, eacher — "We borrowed out numerals from the Arabs. our calendar from the Romans, and our banking from the Italians. Can

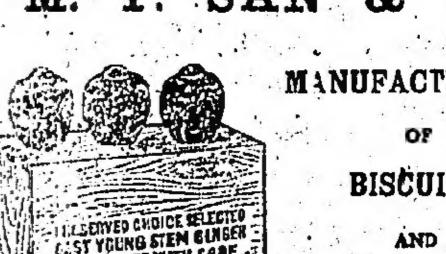
any one think of any other examples?' Willie Willis-'Our lawn-mower from the Smiths, our snow-shovel from the Joneses, and our baby carriage from the Bumps."

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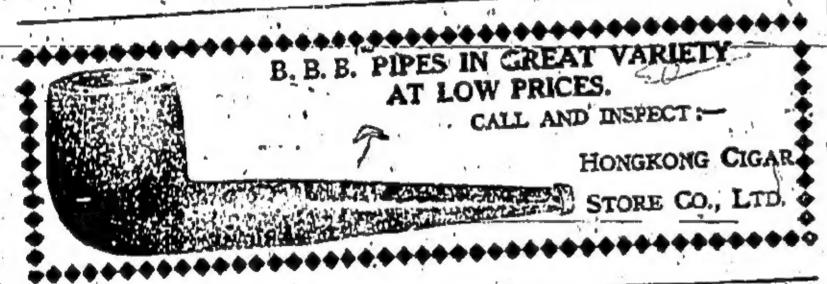
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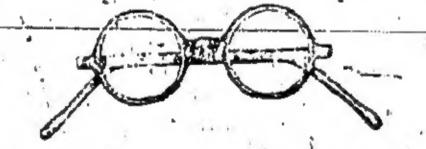
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The China Mail.

BONGEONG THURSDAY, JAN. 17, 1923.

BRAVE WORDS!

the debate thereon, and the farewell coloured labour to develop. speech made by the Australian premier, should be cubled at the same time. It is interesting to observe merely to prove that pro gress is no unsettled thing that Mr. therefore have had his words at first hand which is probably more than bear on this particular matter. He would have read his speech in the bear on this particular matter. He, papers in view of the more exciting and speciacular incidents connected with the opening of Parliament.

We may leave the latter for the parliament or warning for his is that of 1 time being. The opening of the type of mind which although it is present session is indeed momentous essentially English, is, shall we say, -momentous not so much for the desperately Australian? This is no "seeing that all three parties seem but a man who considers and agreed on certain fundamentals of dresses his language, as he is

told see more of things than those saviour is not a mere youthful equal terms with sighted girls, and engaged in making, them. Mr. idealism. The peace of the world her wonderful perseverance has Bruce represents an integral part of and the reduction of its armaments What spirit!

the British Empire whose people is not to be promoted by Britain

represent an interesting study of independence and thought and outlook; a people who, exceedingly democratic, have claiment views and an ability to express them: Much has been heard of Australia and the Australians; but much remains to be heard. She has her own pro-It seems more than a matter of blems and one is that referred coincidence that the news of the to by Lord Leverhulme the other opening of Parliament with the day when he candidky stated his reading of the King's speech and view regarding the importation of Empire Exhibition next year. northern and tropical district of the Commonwealth. That is another thorny, and difficult problem needfing the pan and the mind of anexpert. Visitofs to Australia know only too well that spirit which listeners, his speech being broad- seems to brook no interference with casted. A half a million people the determination to keep Australia

Empire we are inclined to think, frothy demagogue who is speaking, policy, but for the parties who seek known to dress his own personponcy, one for the parties with care and taste and fine feeling, obtained her Honours B.A. Degree to wield the wand of office.

The Australian Premier speaks as His bolief in the adequacy of the (London) in English and History. a looker on—and lookers on we are League of Nations as a works Sadie has been able to study on

alone disarming, and his advice, implied, is that to solve these and the other problems which hinge upon it, Great Britain's grave problems in Europe would only be solvable if "she "madeviatingly and unhesitatingly follows a strong and definite policy. That is not merely an obvious statement of fact. It is that of course, but again it is the considered opinion of someone who; if he is a looker-on is able to see the trend of events following on an apparent weakness of Foreign policy, but is anxious that the Dominions, who took their part so nobly in the events which cominenced in 1914, should also take their part and shoulder their obligations in matters of Foreign policy which often has a direct bearing on fortunes of those spots of Empire so full still of potentialities for good, for trade expansion, and for the cementing of true and patriotic feeling, which the mother country is endangering by fostering feeling of algofness. United we stand, divided we fall is an old maxim, but like most old sayings it is very true. No one we believe has a desire to see the Empire broken up into separate states or Nations, but rather that the links binding the Empire should remain

firm and stedfast. This farewell

speech rings true. It should have

steadying influence on those at

Westminster - some too flushed

minds go ill together. We shall see.

they see of men the better they like dogs. We hope this does not apply number of dogs they keep is any from toothache forgets his teeth, ary general meeting of sharehold- bride's chair. Whether or not his to our women-folk here, but if the criterion; and the way they carry so an upright man thinks not of on about them, we reluctantly come to the conclusion that it does. The stranger in our midst has certain whole-heartedly. If you deny it, matters forced to his attention. is probably struck by the smells which greet his nostrils; or the way certain Government Department go-about their work. sooner or later he is forced to notice that dogs come in for a great deal of attention denied to less fortunate Teedle, humans of the two-legged type. They (the dogs) are fed and petted, washed and cleansed and allowed liberties undreamt of. Women croon over them, wash them even, and we have even seen them take away from their bodies things called ticks." We yield to no one in our admiration of the dog-as an animal; as a faithful bound, even if he remains sileht when burglars ransack our homes; but we respectfully suggest that the dog should be kept in his proper place which not under a dining-room table. whilst his bodily cleanliness might well be left in the hands of servants.

be capital

Street but they haven't abridged happened to have a paragraph, the smells!

The present to a bride at a recent wedding was a piece of land from her father. This was not in Hong-

It is announced that the authorities of the Royal Mint are arrang- and torrid." ing a special display at the British

Words are like medicine. Their effect depends on how they are If all the good people were clever,

Everything comes to those who wait and those who go too fast get everything that's coming to them.

Old folk say they don't know

We are informed that the Salvation Armylis purchasing Ford Cars. Presumably to shake, the devil out

Some boat passengers are given a very wide berth.

LIGHT girl of Bethnal IN THE, Green, has over-DARK, come her appalling handicap and

Low blouses are proof of their rude health. She who peroxides her hair tries to keep it dark. Some housewives make ducks and drakes of their money at

Here follow more pearls of speech OUEEN ELIZABETH.\_\_attributed to the late Queen: When the Commons asked for Liberty of Speech, sheusaid:

Liberty of speech is granted to the Commons, but they must know what liberty they are entitled to; not a liberty for everyone to speak what he listeth, or

To all Kings Queen Elizabeth spoke with extreme directness. Elizabeth to the Archbishop of St. Andrew's. Here are some quite fearless

The King of France is bursting with rage, and I do not want to make him burst any more, said Elizabeth to the Spanish

Ambassador. (1559.)
"I am not afraid of d King of Spain who has been up to the age. of twelve learning his alphabet, said Elizabeth to the French Ambassador, of Philip III, then 23.

A man in love spends A FACT. his lonely moments devising pretty speeches to warble to his amourese and when with her passes the time with a fleeting success to take due in either being downright dumb or heed Great Empires and little else in wrangling with her.

The Path of Man-IAPANESE, kind is like water Peak Club, 9.15 p.m. and men like fish.

When-fish are in water they live, dinary general meeting of share- the Volunteer was carried back to Someone has said that the more but taken away from it they die.

> from headache forgets his forehead and Co., Ltd., II a.m. and a man who does not suffer

If you believe a thing believe it 11.15 a.m. deny it absolutely. Half believing and half disbelieving is not the way to get on in the world.

There was a

Without being Teedle D. D."

MISSING. Seamen's Institute on 3.30 to 5 p.m. Praya East the other evening we noticed a thing which roused our interest and our sympathy On the notice board is an annoucement signed by the Superintendent which gives the names of seamen who are reported as missing. Just missing. They have vanished seemingly and not a word has been heard of or from them. Full descriptions are given and information solicited. What stories might be written about each of those whose names appear on this notice. These names might All these limited very will be published in the local companies seem press-for the press reaches far and wide, as is evidenced by the letters we receive from distant parts—the latest, strangely enough The P.W.D. have certainly dealing with the name of a missing bridged the bottom of Wyndham man about whose sad end we meeting lof the Golf Club is to be

ALL MADE, what are the two genders?"

Johnny-" Masculine and feminine. The masculines are divided

To-day's Poems. (Good and Clever.)

And all clever people were good, The world would be nicer than ever We thought that it possibly could. But somehow, 'tis seldom or never The two hit it off as they should. The good are so harsh to the clever, shan is as peaceful as ever, though The clever so rude to the good ! So, friends, let it be our endeavour

To make each by each understood, For few can be good like the clever, Or clever, so well as the good. ELIZABETH WORDSWORTH.

WEATHER CALENDAR.

JANUARY 17.

1768. We have had most dreadful frost and anow, but they lasted not quito three weeks. Yet, though the weather is quite warm, and it has rained soveral times, there are opposition lumps of ice lying about the streets, that can not be prevniled upon to melt, and take their places in kennel.-Walpole.

KEEPING IN LOVE."

Falling inclove and winning love are often difficult tasks to overbearing and rebellious spirits; but what cometh in his brain to keep in love is also a business of utter; their privilege extends no some importance, to which both further than a liberty of Aye or man and wife must bring kindness and goodwill. The true love-story commences at the altar, when there lies before the married pair a most I am more afraid of making a beautiful contest of wisdom and generosity, and a life-long struggle. they are two instead of one. -BTHVENSON.

SHADOWS BEFORE.

Coming Events Advertised In The Mail.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

January 17.-Coronet Theatre; The Birth of a Nation." January 17.-Star Theatre What Every, Woman Knows." January 17:-World Theatre So Long Letty."

SOCIAL. at Esma Club, 17 Queen's Road, take the young man to see the

the foreigner ordered out a squad COMPANY MEETINGS. January 28.—Twenty-third or of coolies and a chair. And so

Reclamation Co., Ltd., at the heralding his approach. - As a man who does not suffer Offices of Messrs. Jardine Matheson But this is not the end of the story. January 28.—Thirty-sixth ordin- Volunteer was escorted was the

ers of the Hongkong Land Invest- colleagues hailed him with that ment and Agency Co., Ltd., at famous wedding song: February 1. One-hundred and that they have been laughing ever

fourth ordinary meeting of share- since. holders of the Hongkong-Canton and Macao Steamboat Co. Ltd., at the Offices of the Company, Noon. February 2. Fifth ordinary

PLAIN TEEDLE. young man yearly meeting of shareholders of named Teedle, the Bank of East Asia, Ltd., at the Who wouldn't accept his degree; registered office of the Company, He said, "It's enough to be No. 10, Des Vœux Road Central,

OTHER MEETINGS. January 22,-Diocesan Boys' Looking in at the School Annual Speech Day from

FLOWER SHOW. March 6.-Hongkong Horticultural Society's annual flower and vegetable show.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Lighting up time to-day is at 6.01 to p.m.

A strike of soy factory workers in Hongkong is reported.

Flour, rice and sugar quotations will be found under Commercial

Anl extraordinary general

The Health Department at Teacher-"Johnny, Canton is advising the people to get vaccinated. Small-pox is very prevalent in Canton.

A strike of workers in the rice and the femine into frigid and trade at Canton is threatened, and the strike eventuates.

> The I Canadian Pacific Coy. at 3.30 p.m. send the China Mail an exceedingly attractive brochure dealing with their famous steamers and the ports visited.

In spite of the troubles at Shekwaitong and the stoppage of the Canton-Samshui Railway, Fatcommunication with this city somewhat interrupted,"

From Stanley comes the report that two Chinese women were held up by foot pads who relieved them of some jewellery. These progressive Dick Torpins were somewhat behind the times as they only carried bamboo poles.

After satisfying the police, authorities that he was the owner of the \$8,000 which was picked up Sadle Isaac, a blind 1614. The 17. of January, 1614, on New Year's Day by a Chinese began a great Frost, with boy who handed it over to the extream snow, which con- police, a Chinese who has returned finued until the 14. of Febru- from Canada, has been handed ary And Albeit the violence back the sum. His statement was of the Frost and Bnow some that he dropped the sum in Des days abated, yet it continued Vocux Road West while shopping. freezing and enowing much It is stated that he gave \$500 as a or little until the 7. of March, reward to the boy and \$300 to the whereby much Catell perish. boy's master for being instrued, as well old as young, mental in turning the money over to the police.

COME'S BRIDE!"

VOLUNTEER EXPLOIT.

The finest story heard in Hongkong for some months is being whispered round the clubs and is creating convulsive fits of laughter It is so rich and added to its vim its truth-that if we were to let die without seeing the light of publicity we should hardly be doing justice to our readers. concerns a certain enthusiastic Volunteer whose name for obvious reasons we shall keep dark for we are sure he can enjoy a joke and does not mind other people sharing it so long as the matter

ends there. This young man was due camp on Friday night and being well prepared for a rigorous week-end stepped into the Kowhis head and left this world for definite and were clearly not

Chinese territory, arriving at the was:sentry post and receiving a challenge. Being a discreet guard, the sentry called an interpreter. After fraternal greetings had been exchanged, the interpreter was made to understand that the --- Volunteer lost and would be much obliged if he could hire a conveyance to take him to his camp. The in fair rendering thereof. January 19.-Smoking Concert terpreter said he would have to Commanding Officer. This gen-January 24.—Fancy Dress Ball at tleman proved very accommodating and realising the plight of

holders of the Hongkong Land camp in state; eight coolies Messrs. Jardine Matheson's Offices | comes the Bride" we are not in a position to say, but we do know

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

4; on Shanghai 71.

were reported yesterday.

Messrs. J. D. Hutchison & Co., send the China Mail two copies of a very artistic Chinese Calendar which serve to advertise the products of Messrs, W. and R. Jacob, of Dublin, for whom Messrs. Hutchison & Co., act as Agents.

Several steam launch coxswains were haled before the acting Marine Magistrate (Lieut. Commander Conway Hake R.N.R. to-day for contravening harbour, regulations. The master for failing to stop when called waiver. However, the statutory upon by the police and the masters | tenancy might come in. of the "Chung Woh and "Hee

Lee" were fined respectively \$10 position was that and \$20 for failing to observe the rule of the road. Nineteen boatpeople were fined for lying inshore during prohibited hours.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Lady Stubbs distributed prizes at the Victoria Home and serve judgment and give a written Ophanage yesterday.

Lady Stubbs is to open the St. Stephen's Girls' College new building on Friday the 25th inst.

Mrs. N. L. Smith, Mr. R. Farrant, and Mr. Leonard Yates, are passengers on the outgoing President Madison."

Mr. G. P. de Martin, M.B.E., A.B., will present the prizes to the successful students of Sacred (Saturday) at 3 p.m.

CORRESPONDENCE.

MURDER TRIAL

[To the Editor of the ! China Mail."]

Sir,-I must request that you correct an erroneous reporting in your description of the trial for murder Rox v. Ip Pak, given in your issue of yesterday's date. The passage to which I take exception in as follows !-

'Mr. Brewer addressed the jury ....... like that of the chain coolies the deceased's husband's testimony was unsatisfactory on many points."

This statement is untrue in substance and The fact. Mr. Chow Lo was throughout the trial accepted and referred to by me as a reliable

witness of unquestioned probity. I conceive it the more necessary loon train fully equipped. His to correct your statement because the whole House of Guise and Unattainable? Aye, surely unaway with him at dinner and the ed it requisite to criticise cortain enthusiasm apparently had run in the course of this address I deem had he sunk back into the com- terms to express my disapprobafortable cushions of the compart- tion of both the evidence and the ment than he felt drowsy, nodded utterer. These criticisms were

directed against Mr. Chow Lo. He woke up at the train terminus. I have a complete record of every some miles beyond his destination. thing said by me on this occasion Rousing himself, he left the station and the only remark in the least and wandered aimlessly towards, adverse to the deceased's husband,

There is only one, unsatis-Pactory point in the whole of Chow Lo's evidence and that is a minor detail; -it is in regard to the shoes found with the revolver .....

This presumbly is the basis for your statement, but I unbesitatingly contend that your version is not a

Yours, etc., N. INSTONE BREWER. . Hongkong, January 17.

RENTS PUZZLE

A LEGAL POSER:

"I find this Ordinance very difficult, as I think the judges do at Home," said Mr. Justice Gompertz at the Summary Court to-day in announcing his intention to deliver a written judgment in a case under the Rents Ordinance in which one or two rather knotty:

points had cropped up. It was a claim by the landlord for the possession of the ground floor of No. 9 Tai Yuen Street which had been let to a firm of rattan dealers on a monthly T. T. exchange on London is tenancy at. \$55, a month. Mr. C. A. S. Russ, appearing to support the claim, explained that there Eight fresh cases of smallpox was two months' rent owing, when the writ was issued. There was a similar amount owing when notice to quit was given and this was only paid after the notice to quit and a threatening letter. Mr. Russ claimed that as the notice to quit did not expire until January 2, 1924, the acceptance of any rent for any

period before January, 1924, did not constitute a waiver. Mr. Justice Gompertz: Supposing your tenant's agreement was not to keep white mice and he did keep them and you give him notice. to quit and you accepted rent. should think that that would be a

Mr. Russ said the plaintiff's monthly fendant's by a notice to quit and his claim. for possession was based on common law. The defendant, however, claimed protection under the Rents ordinance. The plaintiff's reply to that was that the defendant had failed to pay rent and there was still rent owing.

His Honour said he would redecision as there were a number of difficult points about the case.

Would You?

Miss Rebecea West, on her first morning in America, experienced the rather mixed sensation of being interviewed before she was out of bed! "Miss West," queried the imperturbable young reporter, "would you marry an American? I had to admit," says Miss West, that I wouldn't marry an Ameri-Heart School on the 26th inst. can or any other man at nine o'clock in the morning !"

THIS WORLD OF OURS.

This world of ours is a mighty sieve That sifts the grains of glory from the chaff That they might live To germinate for future generation's pleasure.

Innumerable millions have passed through This world's severe and impartial scrutiny; And yet how few Have come within its thrifty seizure

How few the Homers, Kants and Danti,... Beethovens, Kalidasas and Tagores, Confuciuses and Shakspeares; yet dilettanti In myriade leave these shores, ... And millions reappear ;

And, glddy pated, drag from year to year Their busily-idle lives, For evermore.

#### AIRSHIP ACCIDENT.

DIRIGIBLE "ABSCONDS."

#### 'IRester's Service to the China Mail.)

NEW JERSEY, January 17, The naval dirigible "Shenandoah" which was carmarked for the up right through. The Subs opennaval serial expedition to the north ed the scoring. Slade who was Pole in the summer, broke away playing left wing put in a good from its mooring must in the course shot. Hamilton saved with his foot of a gale, with a crew of thirty. While undergoing a test apparently through the goal. This gave the the "Shenandoah" was damaged for Subs the lead which they kept till fragments of the outer rigging half time. fluttered to the ground. The wind . The second half started off wel was blowing at 45 miles per hour. for the Club who seemed to be all Efforts to reach the "Shenandoah" over their opponents, and it was by wireless were fruitless. The not unexpected when they scored storm broke out early in the after- Mitchell put in a fine shot which noon. Captain McCrary, who was the goalie saved but the ball inaboard when the vessel broke stead of going out stuck behind away was confident she would his heel. He did not notice this F. hold. Officials believe the airship for a moment and the Club from a from explosion as the airship is. Play evened up somewhat after

The "Shenandoah" passed New Jersey at a considerable time. speed, flying low, the engines roaring, and the crew apparently trying to turn the airship against

Renter's American Service.

The Captain of the "Shanandoah" has wirelessed "all O. K., will outride storm; holding our own. -Reuter's American Service.

## HOME LABOUR TROUBLES.

#### DOCKERS DEMAND INCREASE.

LONDON, January 16. between port employers and the better late than never though I Transport Workers Union on the For the Club the outstanding latter's claim for an increase of players were Hett, Mitchell and dockers' wages throughout the Woodward, while Slade played country by two shillings a day, it fine game for the Submarines. was announced that the employers | We learn with regret that informed the Union that they were | Shanghai will not be able to come unable in the present condition of down for an Interport game this trade to concede any increase of year. wages. The Union is reporting the matter to its delegate at the con-

ference. In view of the determination of the Society of Locomotive Engineers to strike, importance is attached to an unexpected visit to their headquarters to-day by the Arthur Henderson, secretary of the Labour Party, which is believed to be connected with efforts at medi-

#### JAPAN'S EARTHQUAKE.

## 30 VICTIMS IN TOKYO.

SHANGHAI, January 17. Reports coming in from Tokyo show that the earthquake situation is practically the same as outlined in Reuter's despatches of January 15. The general nervousness throughout Tokyo during the night was due to wide and wild rumours but while there were a few mild tremors, nothing worthy of note occurred since 6 a.m. on Tuesday. The death roll is about thirty, all Japanese. There were no notable victims. All | communications are restored though there is considerable delay LANOTHER NEW COMPANY. in telegrams. 🕆

### IN BRIEF.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN

CABLES.

mooted.

A £10,000,000 loan to Hungary is

an increase in wages.

The repairs to the "Leviathan"

will cost \$(G.) 250,000. The Tangier Treaty has been

explained to the House of Com-The Government's Foreign

policy has been vigorously. defended in the Commons.

criticised in the American Senate, leaving Harbin every Friday, mails ship imposed a fine of \$50 or six brilliant acting of the principals.

of a British Mining Engineer has Monday, and those for London take been killed by a stray bullet dur- between 18 and 21 days in transit. ing fighting at Tapachuea.

Sterling on New York rallied in not more than 25 days. yesterday to 4/26%. Francs were In future therefore the Hongkong quoted :- French 91/05 and Bel- Post Office will forward to Shanghai gian 101. This was due to the for onward transmission all ordinary contemplated French Govern- letters and postcards for Europe ment financial reforms.

President Coolidge has no so marked will also be forwarded minated Mr. Edward N. Hurley but at senders' risk. for the Democratic vacancy on Such correspondence should be the Debt-funding Commission, posted here on Monday on Tuesday Anybody. His general statement The A.O.L. on President McKinley are an agreement, for funding by the life that it may reach Shanghai was unsatisfactory, said Mr. sailed from Kobe for Shanghai was unsatisfactory, said Mr. sailed from Kobe for Shanghai was unsatisfactory, said Mr. The President has sent to Consin order that it may reach Shanghai was unsatisfactory, said Mr. sailed from Robe for Shanghai was unsatisfactory, said Mr. sailed from Robe for Shanghai was unsatisfactory, said Mr. sailed from Robe for Shanghai on Jani by the following Sunday Gorres. Hazlexigg. Mr. J. R. Wood fils three days behind schoolale. This pondence posted later in the week charged the men and said that Hongkong Jan 18 is now expected on they were not responsible for Jan. 11. Elles was deleged rescoing

#### HOCKEY.

#### CLUB DEFEATED.

The Submarines managed to secure rather a lucky victory from the Club yesterday at the U.S.R.C. Kowloon. The match started off at a good pace and this was kept and the ball rose, and

filled with helium. The dirigible this but from a good break away the Subs agained scored by a lovewas last seen drifting northwestwards in heavy wind and rain. Iy shot from Slade, who playing a fine game.

> The Club, although they tried hard, were unable to equalise before

The game was very ably re-

The first's defeat was not "altogether unexpected when the team lined up without Miller and More and only the men at the start Sim having to play forward rather broke up the halves. Club did not get going well, there being too much individual play and not enough combination. was also unfortunate that Meacock crocked up " slightly in the first half and Woodward losing a boot helped to make matters worse One player did not arrive unt At the close of the conference 5.30; business must be pressing,

#### CLUB 2ND. v. EAST SURREYS.

won by four goals to two hitting the goal post and branching Of this quantity, 60 tons were out. Half time, the Club led one found in another coal-yard near

Edwards doing the scoring.

## REAL ESTATE.

territories will be undertaken by Cheng, New Territories, whose Estates, Ltd., a new company just | matshed on the road yesterday. incorporated and registered. According to Messrs. Shewan Tomes & Co., general managers, two old Chinese, with no occupational that it will be pronounced one the first issue of shares for tion, before Mr. G. N. Orme more of the Coronet's long list of \$1,000,000 has been much over- this morning on a charge of successes. subscribed and applications have possession of three revolvers been curtailed when the allotment and 300 rounds of flat-noise was made. The registered capital ammunition, of French make. He is \$5,000,000 and other particulars alleged that the arms were found Home dockers are demanding regarding the company are:

> Shanghai Bank. Auditors-Messrs, Percy Smith, were smugglers. Seth and Fleming and Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews.

#### MAILS FOR EUROPE

VIA SIBERIA.

France's attitude towards her service across Siberia having now had felled three trees and that he be lost in the absence of spoken war debts has been strongly been re-established with a train had a saw in a fourth. His Wor- words is made up for by the for Europe by this route are closed weeks hard labour. Mrs. Norman Brown Cave, wife by the Shanghai, Post Office every should thus reach their destination nine folist from a Mastau wai the impression made by the quality

which are specially superscribed "Via Siberia." Registered articles

deceased's death.

#### COAL PILFERAGE.

P. AND O. VICTIMS.

What has proved to be the first pilferage in Hongkong-a question Yat-sen which is published in som which has occupied the attention of to-day's vernmentar papers chants for years—has resulted in a successor. police prosecution in which a definite stage was arrived at this official and semi-official quarters as

the P. and O. Co., Mr. T. G. Kwangsi militarists. from Canton tons of coal, knowing it to have been Cruiser Squadron was suspected.

will be carried to Canada. Officers scrimmage which followed scored; leased on \$5,000 bail and when his in Canton. When the majority of name was called this morning, was absent. His Worship accordingly made an order for his bail to be estreated and announced that a warrant for his arrest would be Mr. Bennett asked leave to make

an additional charge in respect of another lot of about 200 tons, for which he applied for an order from the Magistrate for the coal to be returned to the rightful owners A long discussion ensued as to the proceedure regarding defenwith Mr. Bennett that the only Hung-ying, turned against him. defendant back, the fact of his from Sun to the effect that Chan tion was made for the amount to deduced from the latest order-

it merits. were instrumental in recovering will not be relieved of office. the coal, the China Mail learns that several other men have absconded in connection with the

On New Year's Eve, a steamer which goes under the Chinese name of "Wong Shek Kung" arrived with a cargo of coal from Hongay. The police allege Tamar" unfortunately that the whole lot was handed failed the Club at the last moment over to a firm of contractors and a team from the East Surreys trading under the name of Hop filled the gap. After a very Yick who were to supply the scrappy game in which both sides | coolies, - lighters, stevedorage were playing short the East Surreys &c. and store it in the P. & O. godown at Taikoktsui. It is further The first half, the Club did well alleged that while in transit in the from a centre dash Garrod assisted lighters, about 220 tons were reby Beecher scoring. This was moved and stored in defendant's followed up by a good-effort by godown on the vacant ground Lyon who had hard luck, his shot mear the Yaumati Police Basin.

the Yaumati ferry wharf. Early in the second half the Club . Both lots were seized by the. added to their lead, Price obtaining police on January 9 when the cona good goal. The East Surreys tractor's shop and defendant's now got going and scored twice shop, Wing Tai, were searched and in quick succession through Davis a quantity of books and documents Bird and continuing well removed. It is stated that added two more before the end, godownman and the contractor (himself) have absconded in-addition to defendant "jumping bail" port.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

That she had died from injuries through falling from a bus in motion, is the view of the police Development of-land and build- concerning a Chinese woman who ing sites in the Colony and near-by lived in a matched at Lung Chau the Hongkong and Territorial body was found outside another

on-their persons by a detective on Bankers.—The Hongkong and the Ts'un Wan Road on Tuesday and was of the opinion that they

> cut down there now, there will be they are showing "What Every no more there in a couple of Woman Knows," a film adapted years," said a Forestry Depart- from the stage play by the brilliant ment man to Mr. J. R. Wood Mr. J. M. Barrie.

matshed who were charged, on remand, with causing the death of an alleged trespasser who had tried to steal some clothing. He said that the injuries to deceased's The C.R.R.M.R. Empressof Asia. head were consistent with his arrived at Robe on Jan 16 at 4:30 p.m. original story of having fullen over left Kobe on Jan. 17 at noon and is due. the railway embankment and was of the opinion that at the hour, 4 a.m., it was difficult and is doe here on Jan. 19 at about 120 Doz. Felt Hats.

#### SACKEDI

Admiral Chan Chak, nominally the Kwangtung River Defence Commissioner and virtually governor of Kongmoon with its hinterland, g successful attempt to cope with has been removed from his position the turbulent question of coal according to an order by Dr. Sun shipping firms and coal mer- Fung Shin-meng is nominated as

This has come as bombshell in Chan Chak has been Dr. Sun's most On behalf of Messrs. Mackinnon, important and staunchest naval Mackenzie & Co., agents here for adherent since the ousling of the Bennett, was present in Mr. G. N. After Dr. Sun and General Chan Orme's court to prosecute a Chi- Kwing-ming returned together to nese on a charge of receiving 60 Canton, the loyalty of the Northern stolen from the company. Mr. Chan Chak was mainly instrumental G. Vaux appeared for the in the coup which subdued the defence. Defendant had been re- cruisers and other larger war vessels the ships turned over to General quarters ut . Kongmoon when . Dr. and added a festive note to the dant's bail. His Worship agreed. Sun's Kwangsi allies, under Shum affair.

course open to him was to estreat Latterly, Chan Chak sent an s.s. "Talma" is her motor-boat bail and if defendant returned expedition to Houngshan to subdue lifeboat which in case of disaster he would be dealt with under Magistrate Ju Chenk-man who had would be used to tow the other the warrant. Mr. Vaux suggested been removed from his post by Dr. lifeboats and pontoons. The first 5 if the man who stood Sun. Defeated, Ju went to Canton, and second class cabins are situatsurety succeeded in bringing the result of which was an order ed amidships on the promenade having done so might be taken Chak's troops had to withdraw. into-consideration when applica- The only inference that can be be refunded. His Worship point- that Ju's influence with Sun, on ed out that it would be his duty to the strength of his association years consider any such application on before the Revelution, has prevailed:

A well-informed source, however, On inquiry from the police who is of the opinion that Chan Chak may only be a political move to satisfy other factions subordinate to Sun. Another view expressed is that although the order has been published, Admiral Chan may have nis dwn views about the post.

Chan Chak's headquarters are at Pak Kai, the port of Kongmoon. He has several thousand troops and marines with fair equipment. his capacity as River Defence Commissioner, he controls about a dozen obsolete river-gunboats and a number of armed subsidiary craft.

# NATION."

LAST SHOWING TO-DAY

The Coronet announce the last showing of "The Birth of a Nation" for to-day. It will be followed to-morrow by the big special production, "Quincy Adams Sawyer," which contains a cast of notable stars, headed by Blanche Sweet, who makes her return to! the screen in an eminently suitable

Lon Chaney, called the "man with a thousand faces" strong part in the film, also. The story is not in any way sensational being a very natural narrative events in a rural community. How ever, the development of th dramatic interest is so well done and handled with such sureness, that it makes a compellingly in-

teresting show. Quincy Adams Sawyer" ha evoked much favourable commer Sergeant Chevalier prosecuted in the big centres, and it is certain

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this morning when a Chinese was . It is pleasing to be able to record charged with cutting down pine that the screen version in everyrees on the plantation between way measures up to the stage play. Chai Wan village and Chai Wan Much of Mr. Barrie's whimsicality. A regular weekly express train gap. Evidence was given that he is retained, and what may possibly whose expressive art is quite out of

ordinary. Mr. T. M. Hanlerigg, Assistant The programmes to follow at Crown Solicitor, withdrew the Kowloon house are especially, Mails from Hongkong to London charge of manulaughter against good, and will help to heighten of the shows recently put on.

MOVEMENT OF STELMERS At Yokobams to-morrow at Ba.m.

The P. & D. s.s. "Sicilia" left Singopore for this port on Jan. 16 at 7/30 a.m.

curvivors on the Pagific.

#### THE NEW B. I. SHIP.

TOUR-OF-INSPECTION YESTERTAY.

new British-India s.s. Talma" on her initial voyage from Calcutta to the Far East, earned many expressions of admiration from the crowd of Chinese and foreigners who toured the boat yesterday while she lay in harbour. The length of the vessel-457 feet ris not realized from a distance away and outwardly she modestly hides the comfort and luxury which are contained on board. With a comfortable smoke-room, music room, light.and cool dining room with high backed chairs and neat swivel seats, ample deck

space and above all, clean and

commodious cabins, nothing more

could be desired during a trip on

the "Talma." The smoke-room is

reminiscent of Ye Olde Village Inn

with its ingenious electric candles,

leather covered chairs and cosy corners and big cheerful fireplace. Chan in June, 1922, Chan Clak Members of the Press were remained with Dr. Sun and assisted entertained to tiffin by the Comin the direction of the bomburdment pany and joined in with the Hon. of Canton and the running fight Mr. A. O. Lang in toasting success with the Macao Fort. He was with and good luck to the vessel. Capt. Dr. Sun on the "Wing Fung" till J. R. O'Sullivan, who is the typinis chief left for Shanghai. Prior cally genial ship's commander to Dr. Sun's last return, he took responded with thanks. During active part in the compaign against the invasion of the boat by General Chan and it was he who hundreds of Chinese, the East established the temporary head- Surrey's band dispensed music !

> One noteworthy feature of the and bridge decks and each is comfortably fitted, light and airy. In 🗬 the first saloon there are one, two and three-berthed cabins, while the second saloon is fitted with three and four berthed cabins.

The "Talma" is the first of a series of big vessels which are coming to the Far East. She left for Amoy this morning.

## GARRISON CRICKET.

YESTERDAY'S GOOD GAME.

Quite a good game of cricket was seen by the handful of spectators who were at the H.K.C.C. ground yesterday when a military team representing the S Artillery and Engineers lost to an 

Batting first, the latter made 275. the biggest contributors being Captain Dods with 79, Lieut, Armstrong 64 and Q.M.S. Fritz 49, Gaptain Walker secured 5. wickets for 30 runs when the "R. A. and | R. E." batted. Captain Bensley (36) and Major Hattersley Smith (29) were the best scorers in an innings of 120.

#### BISHOP POZZONI.

We regret to say that Bishop Pozzoni is confined to his room with heart trouble. About a fortnight ago the Bishop attended a Catholic Press celebration at the Lusitano Club. At the time he felt unwell but bravely carried out his engagement. Despite Doctor's orders, Bishop Pozzoni went about his duties as usual. Towards the end of last week he had another. attack and was again ordered by the Doctor to bad. Yesterday the Bishop seemed in his usual state of health, but there was another attack lost night and this morning his Lordship's condition was considered to be very grave. None. but his medical attendants were allowed in his room this morning.

> TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENT.

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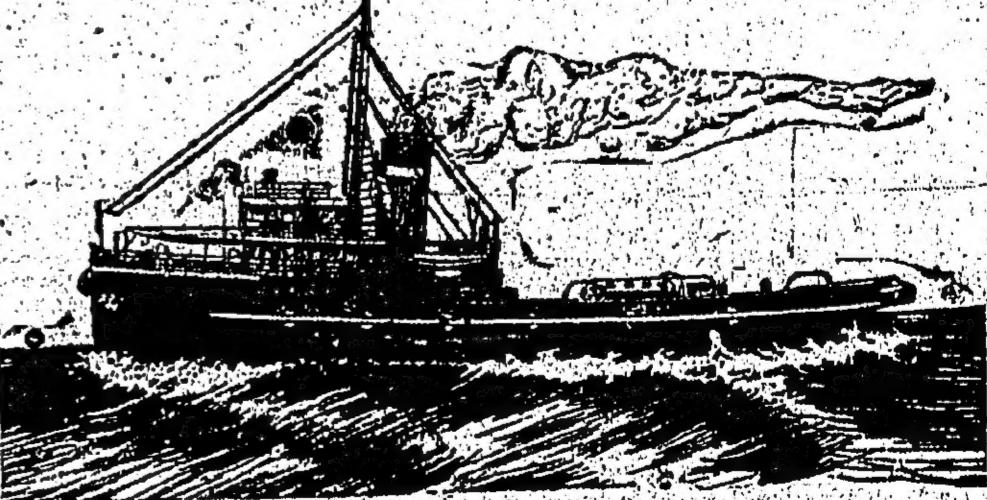
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#### EOY AND GIRL LOVERS.

YOUNG SUICIDES EURIED ON HEARING THE WORD IN ONE GRAVE.

The boy and girl lovers, Jack Finch, 17, and Margaret Trigg, 15, who committed suicide" on the milway line, were buried in the same grave at Carshalton (Surrey)

cemetery. The Bishop of Southwark permitted a service in the church, where the bodies were taken. The rector, the Rev. W. R. Corbould, said it was contrary to the custom of the Church to give her last rites "to those who laid their hands against themselves," but in this case there were extenuating circumstances.

A bunch of violets was thrown into the grave by the boy's inother.

#### THE TRAINING OF THE IMAGINATION.

We have received the report of an address delivered by a promineht English school teacher, whose remarks are worthy the attention of all interested in the education of the young.

His contention is that there is a possible bad side in the increase of learning, multiplication of subjects; systematisation-of-methods. cataclysm of school books-all the machinery which has been brought. into play to aid us in our desire to know, and to reduce the art of teaching to an exact science. author hopes that his readers will agree with him that the object of education is not to know, but to

We are in danger of trusting too much to books and systems, too little to the living influence of mind on mind; too much to rapidity of learning, too little to development of power. We are in danger of organising the soul out of education, of a ten- getting out to marry him. dency to look to the accumulation of facts as an adequate result, engagement was broken off by though they may lie like lead in her\_ the brain that bears them; in a word, of confounding the mere capacity for housing mental goods with the growth of the vital powers conferred by education. . .. When we meet a learned man, it does not necessarily occur to us to wish to be likehim; it does not even follow that he is an admirable, or even a truly educated man. - Knowledge, in short, he conceives to be mental food which, taken in moderation and duly digested, enables the mind to live and think and grow.

is not more worthy of regard than a me for this, also for any wrong I tively restricted the amount of existed. well-fed man. The brain, indeed. have ever done you or Jessie. I am business which could be arranged. is a nobler organ than the stomach, very corry to do it but I can't help in spite of this, however, quite a fair abroad immediately on business right, but I think he ought to be but on that very account is the less it. The devil has got me absolute turnover resulted. The drop in and had wanted to be married birched in a serious way by the to be excused for including in re-living in re-living and I can't cotton has unfortunately disturbed quickly so that his bride could police.

alike proportioned to our highest good. I remain in the clutches of low, and medium printing cloths aspirations and our deepest needs; the devil for ever. | continue to fare worst. Local

Imagination lofty and refined; father's slaughter house. fine counts for the Continent. Tis hers to pluck the amaranthine At the inquest the youth's mother Prices are advanced. 34d. per

temples bind

-From O. Liberal.

"WORK."

SOBBED LIKE A CHILD.

Harry Isaacs, a fish caterer, of Kingsland-road N.E.; waited three and a half years after his engagement had been broken off before suing his former sweetheart for the return of a £40 diamond ring.

Judge Cluer, in Shoreditch County Court, upheld the action, and ordered the ring to be returned, or the sum of £25 to be paid.

The girl, Miss Hetty Faigenbaum, also of Kingsland-road, said Isaacs borrowed from her all his wants, and she, in turn, incurred Lancashire. heavy debts to keep him.

Whenever she asked him to look for work, she said, he would break down and sob like a child. After waiting for 18 months she December 5:sold the ring for £20 to pay some of the debts owing on Isaacs'

A broken engagement led to an action at Wandsworth County Court, when Mr. William Henry Court, of Somerset-road, Norbiton, sued Miss Florence Gertrude Pritchard, of Greywood-street, Streatham, for the return of an engagment ring and furniture.

Mr. Court said that he was formerly engaged to Miss Pritchard, and the articles were bought in contemplation of his marriage. Later, however, the engagement was broken off by Miss Pritchard. On one occasion, Mr. Court add-

ed, the girl's father locked her in the bathroom to prevent her from Miss Pritchard denied that the

Judgment was given for the return of the furniture or £20, its

#### SHOT AND HANGED.

SUICIDE OF YOUTH AFTER A SCOLDING.

A seventeen-year-old youth who large demand for cloth has again hoth shot and hanged himself left the following letter:

turn against him, however hard I confidence again and many buyers accompany him. He concludes that it is only by try and I have tried. I expect are awaiting further developments. application of ideas to life that this will be a shock to you but That a fairly substantial trade has man's existence is rendered don't let it worry you. I do hope been done recently, is evident capable of improvement. That that God will bless you, Jessie, and from the engagement of manufac-

flower . said she had chided the boy for 1b. for coarse counts to 2d, per 1b.

Of Paith, and round the sufferer's standing talking to girls. Ther. China has taken a few grey He had been writing to a girl in whites and fancies. India has pur-Wreaths that endure affliction's London, and that was why; she chased dhooties, light, fancy and heaviest shower, spoke to him about going with dyed goods and a few shirtings. And do not shrink from sorrow's girls in the village, South America has bought small The Expert Advertisors & Bill Yoster, Keenest wind."

Suicide whilst temporarily in varied lots. sane was the verdict.

## COMMERCIAL NOTES.

NAM PAK HONG QUOTATIONS.

One hundred and twenty thousand sacks of flour have arrived for Hongkong by the s.s. "Tynd-

This morning's Nam Pak Hong quotations for "spot" goods, basis usual guild terms were as follows:-. Java Sugar, average quality, per picul net-No. 24 rough white \$15.40, No. 24 fine white 16.20, No.

18 rough brown 14.60. -Rice, average quality, per picul gross weight for net-No. I Siam long white:-superior, old crop \$9.00; superior, new crop 8.45'; ordinary, old crop 8.60; No.

Saigon long white 7.45.

Flour, per sack of 50 lbs.—Dayton \$2.72, Banana 2.70, Molluse Fairy 2.70, White Greens 2.80, Kingfisher 2:90, Big Gun 2.92, White Rose 2.68, Melon 2.81.

## MANCHESTER COMMENT.

Messrs. Morreau and Spiegelberg, Manchester, report on December 12:--

Cotton.-Quotations have been considerably reduced since our last report and wild fluctuations anxiety, as the price of futures will be fixed accordingly.

Yarns.-In American only a ifregular rates. Egyptian are the top floor. easier with not much trade.

increase of enquiry. Madras is asking both for Grey Shirtings and wall-to cling to. Jacconets, and apparently is deare quite out of the question, taken to the station. while Fancles are wanted for the Strange was sentenced to three demand, and there are offers of assault—six months in all. from Egypt, which are not absolutely hopeless. For the Continent one hears of bids for small lots, and these are spoken of also for the Home Trade and the Colonies. A few enquiries have been received for South America, but on the whole the market is quiet. The drop in the market and the continued speculation and consequent fluctuations in prices have undermined confidence and led to a suspension of demand. great deal of cotton has been bought and unless to-day's Bureau Report 'is satisfactory, Manufac-

Messrs James F. Hutton & Co., Ltd., Manchester, report

turers will lose heavily

Trading in the cotton makets has been exceptionally active during the past week but the general tone has grown increasingly nervous as prices have advanced. Continued heavy trade purchases of actual cotton both here and in America was chiefly responsible for an advance to a new high record of 21.79d for Fully Middling American current month, at Liverpool on the 29th ult.. There is no doubt also that prior to this the speculative element, had again freely entered the markets on the bull side, and following the new rise. sharp setback. Trade interest has the society says, with disastrous not abated and there has been very, little slackening in the demand for actual cotton, but owing to somewhat increased American crop forecasts, speculators have taken, fright and sold freely. An appreciable break of about 1/11/4d per lb. from the highest point reached, has resulted from this liquidation. It only proves, however, the dangers of a large outside speculative interest such as has developed recently and gives an example of the violent fluctuations it is likely to cause. Ultimately it appears more than likely that prices -will advance further yet, for even-supposing-American crop proaches, 10 million as is now rumoured, there wil still be a serious shortage of sup-

plies for the season. The present uncertainty is likely to be maintained until the next Bureau ginning returns are issued next week. In the Manchester market a A well-informed man, therefore, My dear Bill, Do please forgive part of the week very effect legal impediment to the marriage thrushed the boy.

Imagination is that sacred Chapman, the son of a Tutbury demand for yarns has been brisk, nower, man, was found hanging in his and a large trade has been done in

A typical letter written in 1761 by Master Thomas Frankland drunken man was described at Marylebone, when Arthur Strange, a heavily built costermonger, of by Eric Parker, illustrates the Clarendon-street, Paddington, was disorderly and with assaulting Police-sergeant Robbings and has certainly died hard, and may Police-sergeant Robbings said

that Strange complained that he had been ejected from a public-He persuaded him to go home, and kept it till Bartholomowtide. and, shortly afterwards Strange appeared at his front room window to live after them, while the good is on the third floor, and, shouting, "I oft interred with their bones. Here will show you what I will do with is the letter:

you," threw a chair. It knocked witness down, and Strange then began to shower ornaments and other missiles on the police, one of which struck Police-constable Buckingham as he ducked. Eventually someone in the house opened the front door, good spirits. baiting last night, out on Eton Com-

out of the window. find that Strange's room door was barricaded with heavy furniture. They forced the door, and then, moons. "to our amazement," said Sergeant have taken place. The Bureau crop Robbings, "Strange was not in estimate due to-day is awaited with the room. We rushed downstairs again, expecting to find him in the area below, but he was not."

limited turnover is reported at led the police to another room on

practically nothing but a bare brick to it.

tioned and Cambrics are offered for, feet in length was produced, and cork it up close, and by that time Straits. There is a small China months' hard labour on each charge

## MOTHERS-IN-LAW.

CAUSE OF MARRIAGE FAILURES.

Humorists who aim shafts of wit at mothers-in-law are solemnly justified to-day by the Legal Aid Society, which for 47 years, has devoted itself to repairing matrimonial shipwrecks among the

poorer classes of New York. The society lays the responsibility for most of the 3,600 marriage on failures with which its officers have THEFTS FROM TEACHERS. had to deal within the last year, at the door of the mother-in-law. ascribes three reasons:

I. No mother thinks any other woman's child is good enough for

2. A mother sees in the marriher own plans and ambitions.

3. Where a boy or girl has been a wage earner a mother dislikes sharing her accustomed income

Statistics of the society show that after the first tilt with her husband the young wife invariably goes to her mother for sympathy this has been the main cause of a and advice. She gets both usually,

#### BRIDE'S CONSCIENCE

A .WEDDING.

don register office was stopped he is a very foolish man, and has riage, whispered an affirmative wicked boy. and began to weep.

The bridegroom attempted to remonstrate with her; but she persisted, and told the registrar that she could not go on with the ceremony as the licence was not

The bridgeroom then admitted that he had not lived at the address given on the notice of the statutory period of 15 days, been in evidence. Offers improv- although he had signed the declaraed somewhat but the rise in the tion on the notice-form that no

He explained that he had to go

thus complete the necessary industrial school. period of residence, after which a Ho added : "This boy has no new licence could be issued

FOREST BOOK C. THE C. LEEP.

#### BADGER-BAITING.

ETON BOY'S LETTER IN 1761.

'Floreat' (Nisbet, 12s. 6d. net) difference between those times and ours. The pirit of badger-baiting said to have existed till yesterday. It is feured, how-

ever, that if is longer since any Eton boy made cowslip wine The evil that boys do would appear

1761, April 21, Tuesday (Eton). Dear Papa, I hope that you received my letter safe, and that I hult sometimes have a letter from you, to know (how) you all do at Kirby. I am quite well and in very good spirits. I was out at a badgermon; we worried one to death The police rushed upstairs to almost with the dogs; then turned

At last it broke its cord and we ran it about a mile over hedges and ditches, and gates and stiles, and finished our sport at eight o'clock, and did not kill it, but it is to be Information from the large crowd- hunted to-day again with a puck of hounds, and it is to be ten minutes before them, which sport I shall not Strange had climbed from the have the pleasure to see, for none Cloth.—There has been some one window to the other, with but the fifth and sixth form boys go

Mymeratch is very well, and goes !. As the police entered the room always exactly by Eton clock. sirous of fixing up business, where he was he rushed at them am a-making a bottle of cowslip Offers such as one hears of for with an iron bar in his hand, but wine, and go every day out of Calcutta, Bombay and Karachi was seized and over-powered and bounds for to fetch cowslips; it goes on very well, and I intend to For Java Dyed goods are men- A list of convictions about two keep it till "Bartholomewtide, and

it will (be) extremely good. Pray give my love to all my sisters, and give them a kiss all round for me. I hope mama will not be affronted with my not having mentioned her before sisters, but indeed I had quite forgot, and to make her amends, tell her that little trumpery boy is quite well.

Postscript. — 1 am extremely glad to see that Nan is so much improved in her writing as to be able to write a letter. Thomas Frankland to Admiral

Frankland. That little trumpery boy, though e did not know it, was writing a ttle bit of the social history of

LEAVING THE JOB TO FATHER.

On the futher's promise to give age of her child the thwarting of him a good thrashing, Mr. Lankester, at West London, did not order a birching for Augustus Stanford, aged thirteen, who, with Frederick William Larkin, was charged on remand with stealing £8 from Fulham women school

teachers. Larkin was discharged: Evidence at the last hearing was that. Stanford obtained the money by going to the houses of teachers! while they were at school and representing that they had lost their purses and had sent him to get

some money. Larkin denied the charge on oath, and Mr. Leslie Smith, who defended him, urged that he could THAT. STOPPED not be convicted on the uncorroborated testimony of "this young

thief. 'Stanford.'' Mr. Lankester: I agree, and I A marriage ceremony in a Lon- shall discharge him, though I think whon the bride, in reply to the only his own folly to thank for usual question regarding the mar- having anything to do with this

-Continuing .- his Worship -said, "This boy is a thorough young rascal. He is quite a clever boyan extraordinary boy—but he ought to be smartly punished. Has he jean, rending these, shockers?

The Boy's Father: Yes, sir. Mr. Lankester: It looks as if he wanted to model himself on Captain Macheath. Perhaps he has been to see "The Beggar

The father said he had caned and Mr. Lankester: Yes, that is all

It was finally agreed that the Officer, asked his Worship not to wedding should be postponed order a birching, because that would untilities bridegroom's return from mean a conviction, and if the box abroad, unless he could postpone offended again he would have to be there is but one power that seems Lily, and that you will keen; Lily turers. Makers of sized goods and his departure, for two days, and sent to a reformatory, not to an

> mother. He is a scholarship boy. and it is only within the last lew ! months that he has gone wrong." Mr. Lankester: If his father promises to give him a good thrush-

ing I won't order a birching. The father promised to do so; and his Worship excepted the father's builto bring the boy in for judge ment if called upon within twelve

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THE FIRST FOLIO.

"Let us cast our minds back to the days of the dramatist when he was working at the white heat of inspiration. So far as we know, up to 1598 'Venus and Adonis,' Lucrece, Richard III, Richard 'Romeo and Juliet,' and Henry IV (Part I) had already been printed in quarto. To these, in '98, was added Love's Labour Lost, in which Shakespeare wrote the pregnant line

Devise, with write, pen l for I am for whole volumes in

Was it that already he visualised his volumes in folio? Alasl, that he did not live to handle them in folio, prepared by himself, as did Ben Jonson in the case of his own works. But Love's Labour was not lost." -WILFRED PARTING/TON,

in Bookman's Journal.

"Three hundred years ago-November. 8, 1623-two printers went down to Stationers' Hall and entered for publication sixteen of Shakespeare's plays, which then, seven years after his death, still existed only in manuscript," writes G. H. Mair in the Evening Standard. "The two represented a little syndicate, all of whom had their shops and presses round about the east end of St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet Street-between that and Fetter Lane. Their names, which we should surely remember to-day were William Jaggard, Isaac laggard, William Aspley, John Smethwick and Edward Blount, and the book they had in mind was the First Folio, which, next to the Authorised Version of the Bible, published in a very different manner and by Royal Authority twelve years before, is the most famous volume in the English

language." THE GOOD CLERK'S ENTRY. The editor of the Bookman's Journal, Wilfred Partington, tells

the story thus: "Three hundred years ago this month, on the eighth day, one or two men, Isaac Jaggard or Edward Blount-possibly both, for their errand was even for them a momentous one-hurried-along under the shadow of old St. Paul's, turned into the fresh gardens of Pembroke's Inne, and passed into Burgavenny House.

This was the ancient seat of peers which the Worshipful Com- returned at an inquest at West pany of Stationers had not long Ham, E., against Henry Norman adapted for their important Burkiss, a platelayer's labourer, office; and here was enacted a of Canning Town, E., and Louisa have spent time enough over the elders of their faith, who anointed business since then.

The clerk, whose quill was he died. hardly dry from licensing John Gerard's A Daylie Exerciese of Pictic, opened again (with less care than trembling fingers will turn the leaves to-day) the bulky Re- said death was due to diphtheria. gister, and there he sat down, properly and indelibly, that masters M(aster) Cole warden M(aster) have recovered. Histories and Tragedyes

You may read the good clerk's Court. entry in the facsimile which the Worshipful Company's successors kindly allow us to reproduce from works 'not of an age, but for all tering about the countryside. time'-works which have put a girdle round the Earth's literature." FOLIO AT £1 A COPY.

has been estimated at 250 copies, references in diaries and the like | devoted to the London Hospital. arid it was published at £1," says (and in some cases not at all) of The Mr. Mair. "Such a sum would re- Tempest, Julius Caesar, Macbeth, present, I suppose, about £12 to- Antony and Cleopatra, and day, so that the intended vogue of Cymbeline; of Measure for Measure, the book must have been compar- As You Like It, All's Well, able to our 'limited editions'-like, Twelfth Night, and Winter's Tale. for instance, some of the recent "Rosalind and Viola, Olivia and editions de luxe of Mr. George Imogen and Isabella would be

centenary to-day, is not merely or we should be aware of only as entered and its safe taken bodily afford to pay fees is everywhere chiefly sentimental. The value of historic figures, and in the case of away. A jemmy had been used to scandalously low. Many more the portrait apart, it contains twenty the shadowly Macbeth hardly even force open the vestry door, and it schools and many more scholar-Shakespeare wrote which exist in men'; 'The cloud cap't towers, the safe without examining its con-legitimate demands of those

V. says :-and a Table of greene fields. . . WHAT WE SHOULD HAVE

though what a table of green field minge, Condell, Jaggards, Aspley, Chamberlain's, ough Hemedy It in Issued, but one is tempted to say occupy increased in May and June of the report is not yet (as announced in May and June of the MISSED.

#### DE PROFUNDIS.

(To My Unknown Rose) Goodbye, Goodbye for stringent time Has never meant a life for love;

This perfect indwells above There blending the angels' thyme

Hand-clasps are sad, goodbye Than in the moments er

For thoughts of you shall frame my heart . mind, sweet now and

My lips shall linger on your name. Caress each letter it has Caress' till agonies u

Shall mould for me a lover's fame

Love's inarticulated speech:

Surrendered it to Silence's hell

was so volatile and cared\_\_\_ For pleasures and my will

I had no dreams, outside my Until I met you, then I dared

I dared until your pallid face

Translucent but a light of

Yet angel-child I love you still And if to err and love is sin | 377,126 loads...

Then let my grief a pardon But Ella Wilcox's words shall merchandise to the value thrill

Oh! ghost of a sin unrelenting Go back to the dust and the sword Too dear and too sweet for from £1,926,304 to £4,237,739.

repenting, Ye stand between me and my God -H, M. SILVA.

SICK CHILD ANOINTED.

"PECULIAR PEOPLE" CHARGED.

A verdict of Manslaugther was little formality on which has been his, wife, in connection with the focussed the lives and labours of death of their three-years old boy. generations of scholars. The It was stated that they belonged formality was not long in to the "Peculiar People." When performance, though we the child fell ill they called in

> Both parents said they did not call in a doctor because "they believed in and trusted the Lord." Dr. Kennedy, the police surgeon,

The Coroner: Did the child suffer much?—Yes, it is a death by Blount and Jaggard had entered slow strangulation. In all profor their Copie under the hands of bability had the child had a dose M[aster] Do[ctor] Worrall and of diphtheria anti-toxin it would

William Shakspeers Comedyes The coroner committed the par-

strangers to us, of whose very and various documents were stolen The importance of it, which existence we should never know. from St. Andrew's Church, Stanleyjustifies the celebration of its ter- Brutus and Cassius and Antony road, Bootle, when the church was children whose parents cannot plays out of the thirty-seven which as that. Friends, Romans, Country- is believed that the burglar took ships are needed to meet the have brought the printers the All the world's a stage; Fear with a harmer, but only discovered beyond the primary stage. How prompt copies, for in some places no more the heat o' the sun -a 2s in money. He left the other this pressing need is to be met at the present one which is do at this port on Feb. 4 still the world's a stage; Fear with a harmer, but only discovered beyond the primary stage. How runs out in 1925. Each of these ed from San Francisco on Jan. 0 on this pressing need is to be met at what appear to be the producer's century of passages which are part contents untouched. Great arxiety the present time of financial stress matters taken separately is of expectable. notes have crept into the text. One of the mental equipment of all the was felt among the parishioners as is a problem as important as any famous case deserves remem- English-speaking peoples would to whether the banns would be other which is confronting us tobrance; if only because it produced not now be ringing in our ears. rescued in time for reading at day

the most brilliant of all Shake- "We should never have met a Sunday morning's service, but emendations. Mrs. fool i' the forest, nor heard Antoly- with commendable promptitude Quickly, describing Falstaff's cus crying his wares nor taken our the Bootle police took up the scent, a departmental committee, and death at the beginning of Henry, part in the night of horror and and found the safe in a house in although its terms of reference suspense before the murder of Litherland. The culprit had flown "After I saw him fumble with Duncan, nor with the porter have but every effort is being made to sheets and play with Flowers, and heard the knocking at the gate. effect his arrest. smile upon his fingers' end. I Men and women, the creatures of knew there was but one way-for | Shakespeare's imagination who are his Nose was as sharpe as a Pen, bone of our bone and flesh of our flesh, more real to us than our ancestors, would have been hidden

from us for ever

#### RUSSIAN TRADE REVIVAL

INCREASE IN MANY EXPORTS.

Signs of substantial revival of the trade of Russia with the outside world are interesting the business community.

The secretary of the Russo-British Chamber of Commerce states that Russia's export trade is beginning to develop on more normal lines and to assume substantial proportions. The trade in grain, hides, furs, timber, and butter is growing steadily.

"A steady increase in export of grain from Odessa is reported by the Trade Delegation in this country. Since the middle of September, 9 shiploads of grain have les Odessa for Constantinople. one month-from October 15 November 15-the Exporthleb Company sold abroad 500,000 tons To you these lips have longed to of grain, in addition to 300,000 tons sold up to October 15, and it was reported that there was three times But then a gulf too wide to as much ready for export. Eventually 3,000,000 tons of grain would be sold abroad, it was estimated. The growth of the trade is shown by the fact that the export for the full year ending August I, amounted to only 613,341 tons, most of this going to Germany, Denmark Holland, and France. WOOD EXPORTS.

The returns of the Board of Trade show that in the first 10 Lit with an angel's tanquil | months of this year the imports of hewn soft wood from Russia amounted to 38,537 loads, as compared with 4,486 loads in the first 10 Consigned me to confusion's maze | months in 1922; and the imports of soft sawn wood rose from 264,248 loads in the same period of 1922 to

> During the first three quarters of 1923 we imported from Russia £4,818,227, as compared with this Association, at least, welcomes £3,189,898 in the same period of 1922. The imports from Latvia (formerly part of Russia) rese

Arcos Ltd., the sole purchasing and selling agency in Great Britain for the Soviet Government, report that the turn-over of trade during October showed an increase on that of September. Purchases made in England during October amounted to £637,987, as compared with £477,858 in September. Among the principal commodities bought in England during October

Agricultural requirements, £34,-184; coal, £71,300; chemicals, £30,746; electrical plant, £193,378; metals, £72,217; rubber and tyres, £139,390 : textiles, £60,671 : textile machinery, £20,878.

One cargo reached England from Russia recently with £500,000 and laid hands upon the child, but

#### CHEQUE BROUGHT BY A PIGEON.

The secretary of the London Federation of Homing Pigeon with most unfairly. Comparisons goods are to he left in the Go-Societies received an offer of a between the expenditure involved downs, where they will be examincheque from Mr. George Goodwin, now and in 1913 are of no value ed on the 17th inst., at 10 a.m. of 33, Meredith-road, Clacton-on- unless attention is paid to the pre-Sea, provided a pigeon flew with it sent devaluation of money, the effected. from Clacton to London'in time for ratio between the costs of this and ents for trial at the Central Criminal the opening of the big show of of other public services, and the signed by homing pigeons at the Drill Hall, increase of facilities provided now. Tredegar-road, Bow. A pigeon It should be remembered, too, that was selected from the collection it was generally recognised then owned by Mr. E. Rickards; of that the financial provision made their time-worn Register," says the scenery though exiguous did exist. Stratford, and was liberated by was, for several reasons, quite Bookman's Journal. "Gazing on The genius of Theobald, however Mr. Goodwin on Clacton Pier at inadequate. It is, nevertheless, it we may see the sign not only of altered the words to what you read II.4. In spite of bad visibility it important that care should be taken our heritage of priceless records, in every ordinary copy of Shake- reached London at 1.15 with the to make certain that there is no but the seal which authorised the speare and made it 'a' babbled of cheque attached to its leg publication, in what we now proud- green fields, inviting you to think by a rubber band. The cheque ly speak of as the First Felio, of of Falstaff in a last delirium chat- was handed to the House should be remembered that the Governor when he opened the show expenditure involved - would "Let us remember to-day that in the afternoon. Six hundred without the two actors and the five long-distance homing pigeons printers and their great book we were shown at the exhibition, and "The Folio had an edition which | should know only by contemporary | the whole of the proceeds will be

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#### EDUCATION.

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The Association of Assistant Masters, is one of the four associations which together represent the teachers in secondary schools, The other three bodies are the Associations of Headmistresses, Headmasters, and Assistant Mistresses, and the combined membership lists include nearly all the teachers covered by the titles, whether they are engaged in THE Steamship municipal, grant-earning, or in- | Captain E. C. MILLER, B.R.R. dependent endowed schools, or, carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be in the case of assistants at least, despatched from this Port on or about the big public schools. The four SUNDAY, 20th January, 1924, at bodies are quite independent and Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for distinct, but common action in re- the above Ports. gard to matters concerning all Silk and Valuables and Tea for Italy, four is secured by means of a joint France and London (undergrangement) standing committee, which meets will be transhipped at Bombay into the regularly and is able to give expression\_to the considered opinion of teachers in secondary schools taken as a whole. It is hoped from time to time to give the views of others of the associa- are required. tions mentioned on points which concern them more closely than the Assistant Masters.

We seem to have reached to-day a critical stage in the development of our system of education and the opportunity now afforded it of placing its views before the public, not only in the interest of its members, but mainly because it is felt that they will be of use to and should be considered by those readers who as taxpayers and as parents must help in making From MIDDLESBRO'. ANTWERP, the final decision on the problems which are now requiring solution. The demand for educa- THE Steamship tion beyond the primary stage, which increased enormously during the war, has expanded still further since then. Parents do realise that education is a good thing for their children, and they mean the children to have it. Many sequent increase in individual or delivery may be obtained. even in the national income, but

#### THE BALANCE SHEET.

On the other hand, the economic distresses which have followed the must be presented to the Underwar have focussed attention on the signed on or before the 31th inst, cost of our national system. In or they will not be recognized. many quarters this point is dealt present system. In doing this it properly come under some such heading as depreciation the balance-sheet of a private company. Just as the manufacturer makes provision for the replacement of his machines by which the national Government by better ones, so the nation pre- gives assistance to the local educanew generation to replace the present one at the proper time.

CROWDED 'SCHOOLS, FEW SCHOLARSHIPS

At present our secondary schools are crowded, and the number of scholarships provided for the

The supply and training of teachers is now being considered by allow it to deal with the primary service only, its deliberations concom the secondary school also. The earlier part of the intending teacher's preparation is undertaken in them, and many who undergo the training with which the Committee is concerned ultimately find and hard on the perents. Control the positions on the staff of a secon-

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themselves to become teachers is bound to be an improvement. This method has been the usual one adopted whenever there was a failure in supply, and is one of the chief reasons for the lamentably overcrowded state of the profession NEW BURNHAM COMMITTEES.

On the financial side the method pares by its educational system a tion authorities is under investigation by another departmental committee. A third committee has just issued its report on superannuation, and this is a matter which the next Government must tackle at an early date. The Act which takes 5 per cent of a teacher's salary for the general purposes of the Treasury is valid only until next June, and obviously cannot... furnish any solution of the pension. problem. It is expected, too, that new Burnham committees will Liverpool on Dec. 19 for Fingapore, shortly be called together to dis- Hongkong and Shanghai and is due here. treme importance; together, their . The B. F. s.s. "Atreus" left Liverpool solution will go far to determine on Jan 6 for Hongkong, Shanghai and the fate of our education system, Japan and is due here on or about Feb. and that is, in effect, to determine our future greatness or the reverse

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In order that he may know how the radio fans are getting the music he plays for broadcasting stations in Chicago, W. Remington Welch, organist, has had a radio receiving set instance on the organ. He lears his own music through the radio.



Above is pictured the effective sign placed by the St. Louis (Mo.)
Saftey Council at one of the busiest street intersections as a grim reminder to motorists to travel slowly and carefully through the city thoroughfares.



Baroness Wrangle, wife of General Wrangle, who led the ill-fated White Army against the Bolsheviki in Russia, has reached New York for an extended visit.



need is a corps of statesmen under
40 years of age. Men of this age,
she asserted, are better equipped
to help settle the world's greatest problems:



The decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, upholding the 60-day sentence imposed upon Charles L. Craig, Comptroller of the City of New York, by Federal Judge Julius L. Mayer, has been upon Charles L. Craig, Comptroller of the Lity of New York, by Federal Judge Julius L. Mayer, has been followed by a demand for a revision of the laws under which judges may hold citizens in contempt of followed by a demand for a revision of Judge Mayer in a transit case in which the city was interested, Mr. court. For making adverse criticism of Judge Mayer in a transit case in which the city was interested, Mr. Craig must leave his confortable home in Riverside Drive, where he is pictured, and spend 60 days in this block of cells in the Essex County Jail, at Newark, N. J.



Howard Calvert, stunt pilot, shown handcuffed to his manager, Frank O'Neil (right); they were arrested in Akron,-O., by Air Patrolman Harold Kullberg (ar extreme right), charged with sky-traffic violations. They were convicted of violating a city ordinance prohibiting stunt flying over certain districts. The two men were sentenced by Judge Zesiger to spend one day in a kite-balloon, tethered at the end of a 1-000-foot cable, in plain view of the whole city.



United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, is In a recent address Dr. M. Carey said to be endeavouring to form a coalition with leading Democrats to Thomas, President Emeritus of enact into law the Mellon suggestion for lowering income taxes. Mr. Bryn Mawr College, expressed the opinion that the nation's greatest Lodge is shown leaving the White House, where he conferred with enact into law the Mellon suggestion for lowering income taxes. Mr. President Coolidge on the proposition. He is engaged in conversation with Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty and C. Basoum Slemp, Mr. Coolidge's secretary,



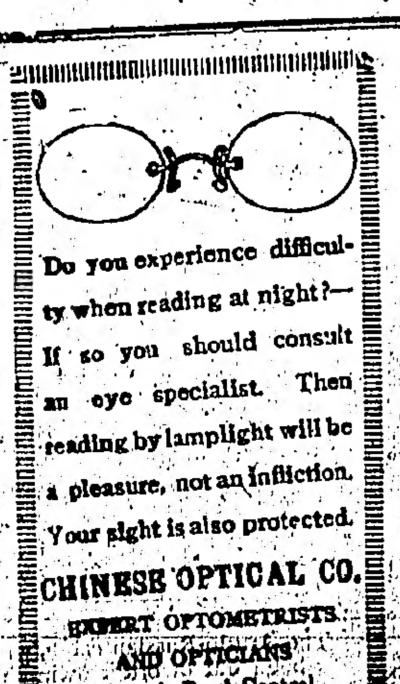
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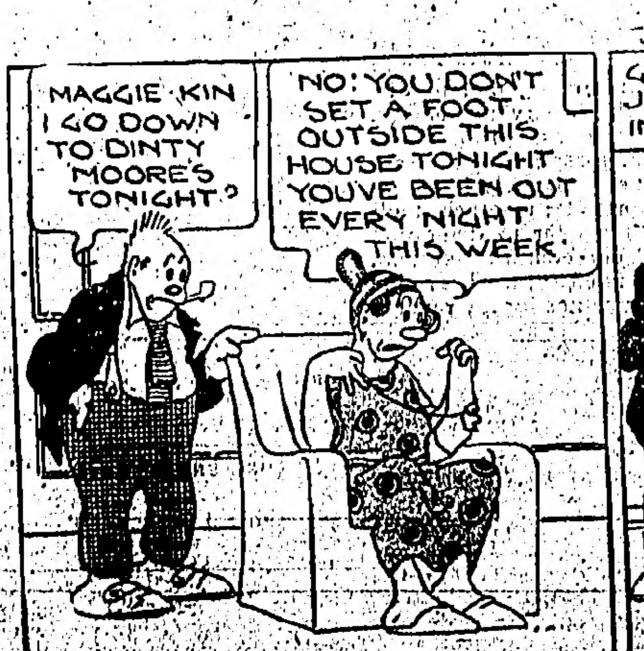
Herman L. Roth, prominent New York and Los Angeles attorney, is under arrest in the latter city, charged with attempting to blackmail Barbara La Marr, screen star out of \$20,000. Arthur L. Sawyer, producing-director of the First National Pictures Corporation, is said to have-given-Roth \$400 in marked bills just before the arrest. As attorney for Miss La Marr's former husband, Roth is alleged to have demanded the \$20,000 as his price for not filing an amendment to the divorce petition, naming a score of other men as co-respondents.



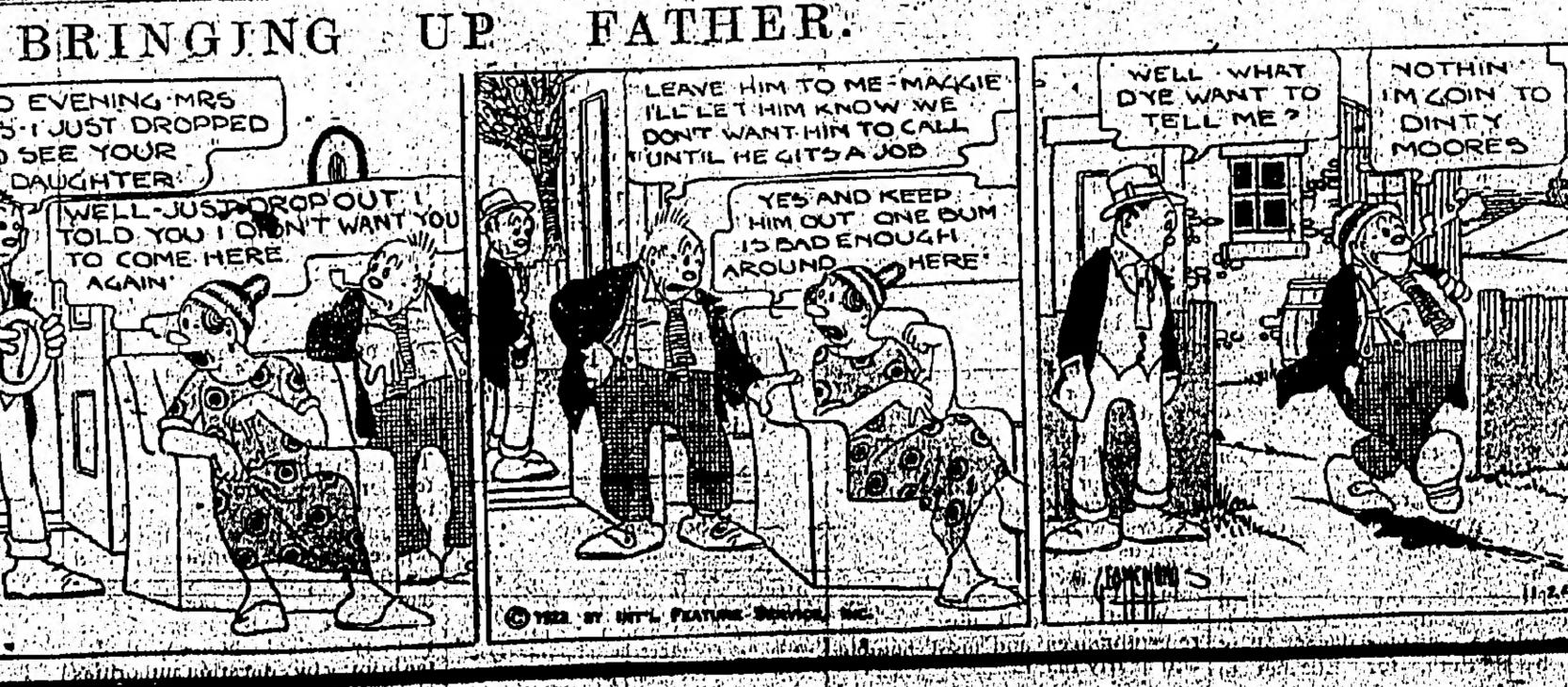
Mrs. Charles L. Craig, wife of the Comptroller of the City of New Mrs Ethel Preston McCormick. York, who is under sentence to serve 60 days in the Essex County McAdoo, wife of Francis Huger McAdoo, son of William Gibbs Jail, Newark, N. J., for contempt of court in criticizing the actions of McAdoo, former Secretary of the Federal Judge Julius L. Mayer, declared to reporters she would make Treasury, has been granted a Federal Judge Julius L. Mayer, declared to reporters she would make Paris divorce. Mrs. McAdoo's every effort to gain permission to accompany her husband to jail, mother is the second wife of Captain Isaac E. Emerson, bromo Failing that, she will take a cottage convenient to the jail to be near



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FROM SAIGON, S'PORE &	HEAD OFFICE:	BRANCHES:	A. H. Compton, Req. J. A. Plummer, Req. G. T. M. Edkins, Esq. N. L. Watson, Esq. Hon, Mr. P. H. Holyock H. P. Wuste, Req.	Aust, Managor, Mr. Li Tio Fong.	FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 years or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.
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FROM JAPAN Jan. 26J.C.J.L. Tjikini.	Working fund provided by	Mane	Acting Manager: Hongwong J.MoARTHUR, Esq.	KOBE MAGASAKI PENANG BINGAPORE BANKOW TIENTSIN KATAVIA MANILA BOURABAYA	BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.
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Jan. 29.—II. 1. Takada. Feb. 12.—II. I. Takada. FROM STONEY AND MELBOCKINE	Banque Nationale de Credit. Banque de Paris et des Pays-	Hongkong, January, 17, 1924.  Head Office York B.  Hong Branches—Shang	thal & Hankow. Will be quoted on application.	Interest' allowed on Current Deposit Account at the rate of Two per citet, per annual on Mixed Deposits at the following sates:—	BRANCHES: Bangkok Hongkong Saigon
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January 17d 11h. 30m .- Pressure has increased moderately at Shang-hai and slightly from Foochow to Amoy. It is nearly srationary at other reporting stations.

The anticyclone appears to be central over N. China. Moderate to fresh monsoon may

be-expected along the S.E. coast of China and over the morthern portion of the N. China Sea.
Hongkong reinfall for the \$4 hours onding at. 10 a.m. to-day, 0:00 mob. Total since January Inc. 0.06 inches, against an average of 0.49 inches.
Forecast for the 24 hours ending at

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2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade in de grees Fahrenheib. 2. HUMIDITY, in percentage of satura tion-the humidity of air esturated fit moistore being 100, 4. DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points.

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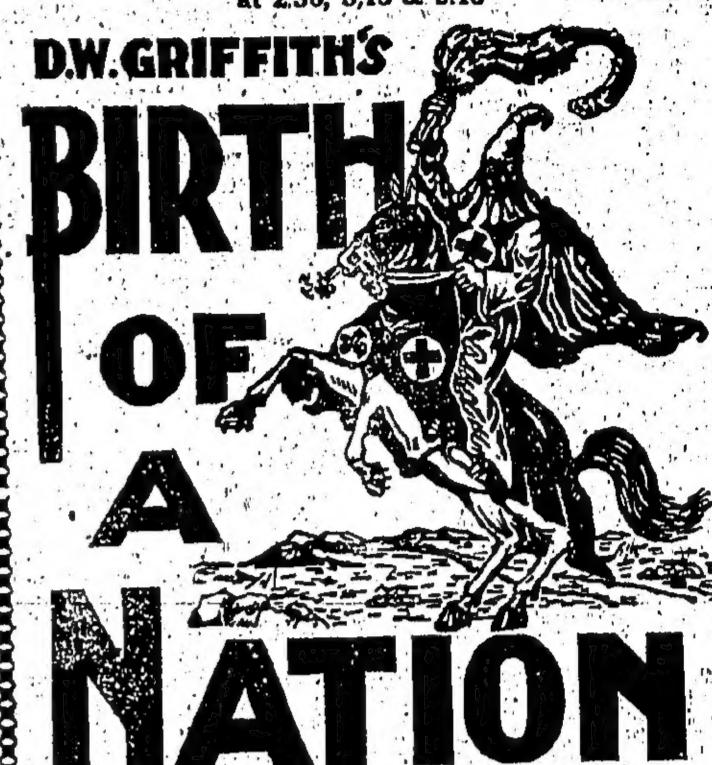
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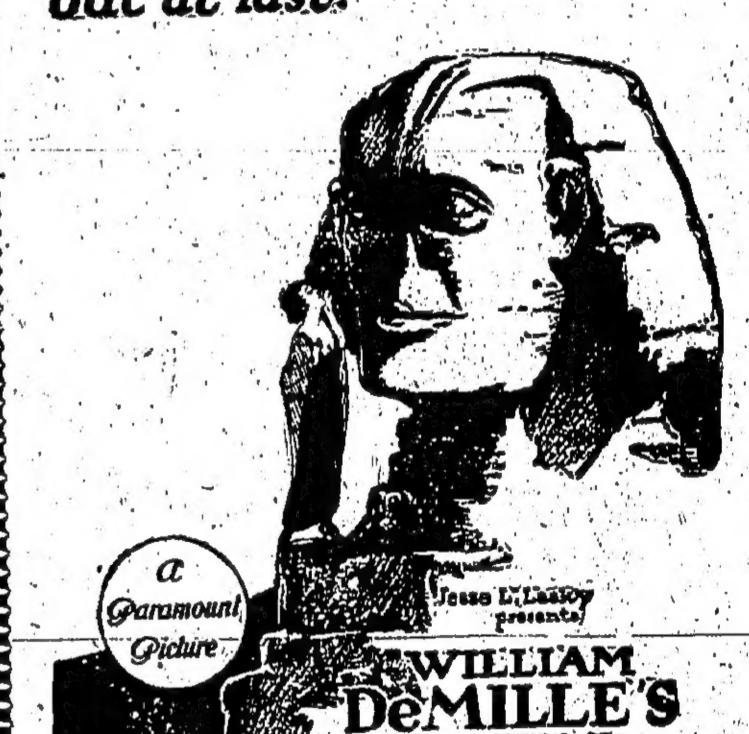
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